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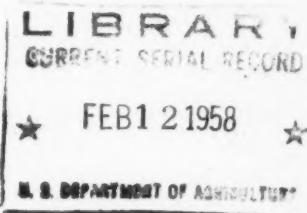
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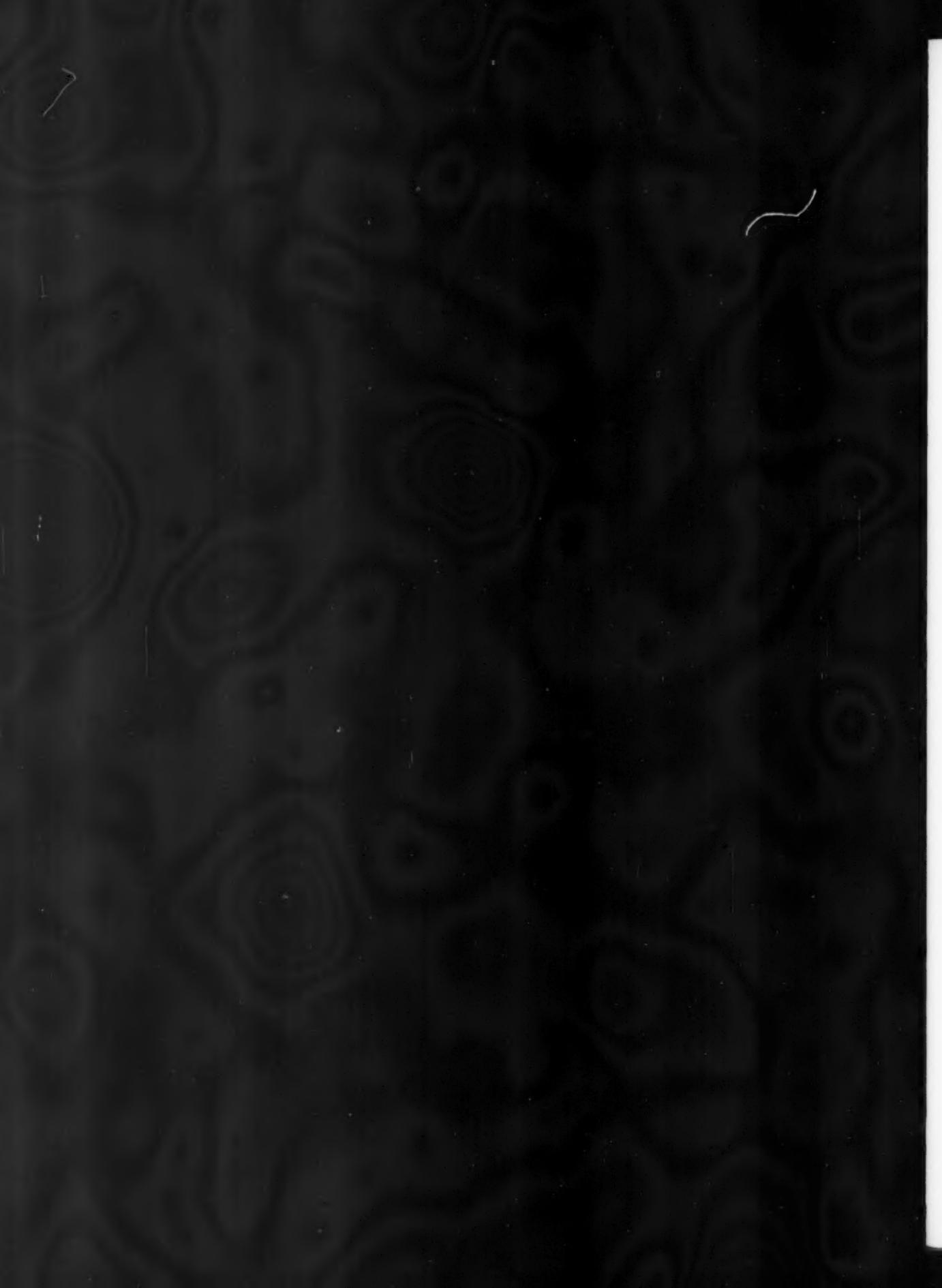
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PER CAPUT FIBER CONSUMPTION LEVELS

Compilations presented in the following pages are a continuation of those published in the December 1956 issue of the *Monthly Bulletin of Agricultural Economics and Statistics* and in previous FAO publications, notably Commodity Bulletin No. 25 (March 1954), which explains in some detail definitions, methods, etc. They are based on statistics of industrial utilization or production of fibers compiled by agencies with a special interest in individual fibers,¹ and on statistics of trade in fiber products (yarns, tissues, etc.) published in national trade returns. While many readers will be familiar with them, it is necessary to refer again to the limitations of these compilations to indicate certain improvements.

The fibers covered in detail are cotton, wool, and the man-made fibers,² all of which find their main outlet in apparel. Per caput fiber "availability," therefore, provides a quantitative approach to a comparison of clothing standards in the approximately 100 countries covered. It should be borne in mind, however, that in the more developed countries these fibers have also substantial outlets in household and industrial uses, and that in some countries other fibers may also contribute to the clothing standard. This contribution, while not generally considerable in the case of other natural fibers, has reached such proportions and become so widespread in the case of the newer synthetic fibers that they are now included in the compilations.

This in turn underlines the qualitative aspects. The proportions in which countries consume higher-valued fibers, such as wool and the synthetics, is of some importance to clothing standards, as is also the extent and cost of conversion to finished form. Yet such proportions are subject to a certain margin of error, especially where trade in

fiber products is large, because descriptions in national returns do not readily permit precise identification with individual fibers; and, of course, no account is taken of value added in conversion.

From time to time improved data become available for one or another of the series, making it possible to revise earlier compilations and to establish a better basis for future statistics. In this connection, the International Cotton Advisory Committee has provided data of raw cotton utilization on a calendar year (in place of crop year) basis, which now brings this series into line with the others. Total availability in any given year, however, is not necessarily the quantity passing into consumers' hands; there may have been stock accumulation or release of fiber products by traders. Consequently, availability in years immediately preceding and following should also be taken into account. Finally, FAO has recently completed a review of population estimates over the past decade,³ and this is reflected in the present compilations.

Summarized Results

World consumption of "apparel fibers," like that of foodstuffs, is increasing more rapidly than world population. The total volume of such fibers manufactured in 1956 was 4.4 percent larger than in 1955 and, unless recessionary forces gather momentum, the same rate of expansion may be achieved in 1957. Population growth is at a rate of 1.5 percent. Supply of fiber manufactured per caput is increasing by 2.5 to 3 percent annually. Moreover, the moving averages for recent years suggest that on the whole manufactured supply is passing at the same rate, if not more rapidly, into consumers' hands. On the average, consumers have

¹ Cotton - International Cotton Advisory Committee, Washington.

Wool - Commonwealth Economic Committee, London.

Man-made fibers - Textile Economics Bureau, New York.

² In two categories: "rayon" (cellulosic fibers, including acetate) and the synthetically-polymerized fibers.

³ These are based on estimates contained in United Nations yearbooks and bulletins and on other supplementary information provided by the United Nations Statistical Office.

Table 1. — World Consumption of Apparel Fibers

Year	Estimated industrial consumption (a)	Estimated stock change (c)	Estimated consumers' absorption (b)	Population	Per caput consumption	
					Level (d)	Year-to-year change (d)
				Millions	Kilograms	
1948	8 683	...	9 026	2 421	...	...
1949	8 568	— 458	9 026	2 457	3.67	...
1950	9 826	+ 170	9 656	2 495	3.87	+ 0.20
1951	10 575	+ 384	10 191	2 533	4.02	+ 0.15
1952	10 172	— 387	10 559	2 573	4.10	+ 0.08
1953	10 930	+ 121	10 809	2 613	4.14	+ 0.04
1954	11 325	— 30	11 355	2 651	4.28	+ 0.14
1955	11 809	— 3	11 812	2 694	4.38	+ 0.10
1956	12 303	— 18	12 321	2 734	4.51	+ 0.13
1957	12 850	...	...	...	...	...

(a) As recorded. — (b) Three-year moving average, centered. — (c) Difference between (a) and (b). — (d) Based on (b).

¹Preliminary estimate.

been increasing their offtake each year by about 0.12 kilogram per head, the equivalent of perhaps one meter of cloth. By 1956 the estimated per caput world consumption had reached 4.5 kilograms (Table 1).

All fibers have participated in the expansion. The yearly increments in industrial processing of cotton and wool were, however, somewhat larger between 1955 and 1956 than previously. With large surpluses being released at lower prices, this accelerated growth extended into 1957 in cotton, but with the supply position becoming relatively tight, it was cut short in wool. Expansion in man-made fibers was on a more modest scale than in earlier years, but in the case of the newer synthetic fibers, where productive capacity has limited output, increases are underway. Over the postwar

period, the increase in consumption of individual fibers has outstripped world population growth in all except wool. Per caput consumption of the higher-valued fibers, wool and the synthetics taken together, has advanced fairly steadily, however, their proportion in the increasing total being more or less maintained at about one eighth (Table 1A).

Total consumption of all fibers has increased more rapidly than population over the years 1948-56 in all continents, with the most notable exception of North America, where the per caput rate is four times the world level. Around 1950 military needs added to civilian requirements; but patterns of civilian consumer expenditures, at very high levels of real income per caput, have not favored purchases of additional quantities of clothing and other fiber products. Oceania, also with a relatively high per caput consumption, is another exception; but there instability in the consumption level appears to reflect variations in incomes from trade in primary products and possibly also variations in expenditure patterns associated with relatively large immigrant populations. In Western Europe, the increase in per caput consumption has been relatively modest and again not continuous. In the late 1940's it reflected a replenishment of wardrobes after the end of clothes rationing, and in more recent years the growth and possibly some change in distribution of real income. Latin American per caput consumption, at about the world average, has also tended to vary owing to the same factors which affect Oceania, but in recent years it has shown a steady advance to which the expanding local fiber manufacturing industries

Table 1A. — World Consumption of Cotton, Wool, and Man-Made Fibers

Fiber	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957 ¹
Thousand metric tons										
TOTAL CONSUMPTION										
Cotton ² (a)	6 410	6 235	6 960	7 640	7 370	7 690	7 930	8 075	8 320	8 600
(b) . . . . .	...	6 535	6 945	7 323	7 567	7 663	7 898	8 108	8 332	...
Wool ³ (a)	1 166	1 111	1 217	1 031	1 076	1 205	1 162	1 189	1 294	1 350
(b) . . . . .	...	1 165	1 120	1 108	1 104	1 148	1 185	1 215	1 278	...
Rayon ⁴ (a)	1 107	1 222	1 579	1 800	1 599	1 876	2 034	2 281	2 379	2 500
(b) . . . . .	...	1 303	1 534	1 659	1 758	1 836	2 064	2 231	2 387	...
Synthetic fibers ⁵ (a) . . . . .	...	...	70	104	127	159	199	264	310	400
(b) . . . . .	...	...	...	100	130	162	207	258	325	...
Kilograms										
Percentage										
PER CAPUT CONSUMPTION (c)										
Cotton . . . . .	...	2.66	2.78	2.89	2.94	2.93	2.98	3.01	3.05	...
Wool	0.47	0.45	0.44	0.43	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.47	...
Rayon	0.53	0.61	0.65	0.68	0.70	0.78	0.83	0.87	0.87	...
Synthetic fibers . . . . .	...	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.10	0.12	...	...
PROPORTION OF FIBER CONSUMPTION (c)										
Cotton	73	72	72	72	71	69	69	68	...	...
Wool	13	12	11	10	11	11	10	10	...	...
Rayon	16	16	16	17	17	18	19	19	19	...
Synthetic fibers	—	—	1	1	1	2	2	3	...	...

(a) As recorded. — (b) Three-year moving average, centered. — (c) Based on (b).

¹Preliminary estimate. — ²1948-54 figures subject to revision. Source: International Cotton Advisory Committee. — ³Clean basis. Source: Commonwealth Economic Committee. — ⁴Production. Source: Textile Economics Bureau.

have increasingly contributed. The increase in fiber consumption has exceeded population growth most notably, however, in Asia and Africa, the largely underdeveloped continents. The per caput level in both is less than one half of the world average, but it has advanced more steadily and more rapidly year by year than in other regions. This reflects the favorable impact on incomes of economic developments, some of which have contributed to an expanded supply of relatively low-priced fiber and fiber products, and at the same time the relatively high income elasticity of such products at the low per caput income levels prevalent in

these regions. The figures for the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Europe are subject to a rather wide margin of error; in particular, population growth may have been underestimated and the upward trend in per caput consumption overstated (Table 1B).

Per caput consumption levels of fibers reflect not only contemporary economic requirements (some extending beyond the apparel field to those of carpets, automobile tire fabrics, etc.), but also the influence of climatic and social environments. On the latter grounds alone, therefore, some disparity in levels is to be expected, especially as between far-flung regions. There are, however, within

Table 1B. — Regional Consumption of Apparel Fibers

Region	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
<i>Thousand metric tons</i>									
TOTAL CONSUMPTION									
World (a).....	8 683	8 568	9 826	10 575	10 172	10 930	11 325	11 809	12 303
(b).....	...	9 026	9 656	10 191	10 559	10 809	11 355	11 812	12 321
North America (a).....	2 771	2 369	3 117	3 135	2 894	2 971	2 734	3 074	2 996
(b).....	...	2 752	2 874	3 049	3 000	2 806	2 926	2 935	...
Oceania (a).....	116	122	119	134	130	74	134	136	128
(b).....	...	119	125	128	113	113	115	133	...
Western Europe (a).....	1 929	2 111	2 330	2 359	1 992	2 314	2 519	2 507	2 668
(b).....	...	2 123	2 267	2 227	2 222	2 275	2 447	2 565	...
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R. (a).....	975	1 165	1 333	1 500	1 593	1 653	1 805	1 877	1 958
(b).....	...	1 158	1 333	1 475	1 582	1 684	1 778	1 880	...
Central and South America (a).....	566	601	699	647	636	683	788	762	792
(b).....	...	622	649	661	655	702	744	781	...
Asia (a).....	2 035	1 869	1 897	2 421	2 562	2 848	2 894	3 005	3 314
(b).....	...	1 934	2 062	2 293	2 610	2 768	2 916	3 071	...
Africa (a).....	291	331	331	379	365	387	451	448	447
(b).....	...	318	347	358	377	401	429	449	...
<i>Millions</i>									
POPULATION									
World.....	2 421	2 457	2 495	2 533	2 573	2 613	2 651	2 694	2 734
North America.....	160	163	166	169	172	175	178	181	195
Oceania.....	12.2	12.4	12.9	13.3	13.6	13.9	14.3	14.6	15.0
Western Europe.....	297	300	302	305	307	309	311	314	316
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R.	264	267	271	274	278	282	287	291	295
Central and South America.....	155	158	162	166	170	174	178	182	186
Asia.....	1 340	1 359	1 380	1 400	1 422	1 444	1 465	1 487	1 508
Africa.....	194	197	202	206	210	215	220	224	228
<i>Kilograms</i>									
PER CAPUT CONSUMPTION (c)									
World.....	...	3.67	3.87	4.02	4.10	4.14	4.28	4.38	4.51
North America.....	...	16.88	17.31	18.84	17.44	16.03	16.44	16.22	...
Oceania.....	...	9.60	9.69	9.62	8.31	8.13	8.04	9.11	...
Western Europe.....	...	7.08	7.51	7.30	7.24	7.36	7.87	8.17	...
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R. ....	...	4.34	4.92	5.38	5.69	5.97	6.20	6.46	...
Central and South America.....	...	3.94	4.01	3.98	3.85	4.03	4.18	4.29	...
Asia.....	...	1.42	1.49	1.64	1.84	1.92	1.99	2.07	...
Africa.....	...	1.61	1.72	1.74	1.80	1.87	1.95	2.00	...
949 = 100									
INDICES OF PER CAPUT CONSUMPTION									
World.....	100	105	110	112	113	117	119	123	...
North America	100	103	107	103	95	97	96	...	
Oceania	100	101	100	87	85	84	95	...	
Western Europe	100	106	103	102	104	111	115	...	
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R.	100	113	124	131	138	143	149	...	
Central and South America.....	100	102	101	98	102	106	109	...	
Asia.....	100	105	115	130	135	140	146	...	
Africa.....	100	107	108	112	116	121	124	...	

(a) As recorded. — (b) Three-year moving average, centered. — (c) Based on (b).

regions noteworthy differences between countries of a broadly similar character which may be largely attributable to economic, cultural, and political factors. In Europe, for example, the level in Austria is about 25 percent below that in Switzerland. Elsewhere the differences are wider. In Latin America, levels in Haiti or the Dominican Republic are nearly 50 percent below that in Cuba; in Asia, the level in Indonesia is much less than one half of that in Malaya; and in Africa the level in Liberia is only about one third of that in Ghana.

Climatic considerations also explain, in some measure, inter-fiber patterns. Because of its general purpose character, cotton predominates almost everywhere. As far as apparel is concerned, however, it might be expected that cotton would show greater predominance where higher temperatures are more prevalent, and that wool would show heavier usage in more temperate zones. At the

same time it might be expected that the lower-valued cotton and rayon fibers would show relatively heavy utilization in regions with low per caput consumption, and wool and synthetic fibers in high per caput regions. It is notable that among underdeveloped regions the African continent consumes cotton and rayon together in the highest proportions but, despite climatic conditions, has a lower proportion of cotton alone than other such tropical regions. At the other extreme, the North American continent, notwithstanding its relatively high consumption level, consumes wool and the synthetics together in smaller proportions than Western Europe (but about the same as the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Europe); and, despite its temperate climate, the proportion of wool alone is substantially smaller than in Western Europe (Table 2).

Tables 3, 4, 5, and 6 relate to detailed calculations for individual fibers in 1955 and 1956.

Table 2. — Per Caput Consumption of Apparel Fibers, 1955-56 Average

Continent and country	Cotton	Rayon	Wool	Synthetic fibers	Total	Cotton	Rayon	Wool	Synthetic fibers
	3.1	0.9	0.5	0.1	4.5	67	20	11	2
WORLD.....									
NORTH AMERICA	11.1	3.4	1.3	1.0	16.7	66	20	8	6
United States.....	11.5	3.4	1.2	1.0	17.1	67	20	7	6
Canada	7.1	2.9	1.8	0.6	12.3	57	23	15	5
OCEANIA	4.5	1.4	2.8	0.1	8.8	51	16	32	1
Australia.....	5.9	1.7	3.6	0.4	11.5	51	15	31	3
New Zealand.....	4.2	2.0	3.4	0.3	9.8	42	20	34	3
French Oceania	2.9	1.3	—	—	4.1	69	31	—	—
Fiji	1.8	1.1	—	—	2.9	62	38	—	—
New Caledonia	1.9	—	—	—	1.9	100	—	—	—
New Hebrides	1.6	—	—	—	1.6	100	—	—	—
Western Samoa	0.9	0.3	—	—	1.1	75	25	—	—
WESTERN EUROPE.....	4.4	2.1	1.6	0.2	8.2	53	25	19	2
United Kingdom	5.9	3.0	2.7	0.4	12.0	49	25	23	3
Netherlands	6.2	2.1	2.6	0.2	11.1	56	19	23	2
Germany, Western.....	5.3	3.4	2.1	0.3	11.0	48	31	19	3
Sweden.....	5.8	2.2	2.2	0.3	10.4	55	21	21	3
Switzerland	6.1	0.9	2.7	0.5	10.1	60	9	26	5
Iceland	6.0	2.3	1.5	(¹)	9.7	61	23	15	(¹)
Finland.....	4.8	2.0	2.6	(¹)	9.3	51	21	28	(¹)
Norway	4.4	2.4	2.3	(¹)	9.0	48	26	25	(¹)
France	5.2	1.7	1.8	0.3	8.9	58	19	20	3
Denmark	4.2	1.3	1.9	0.3	7.5	55	17	25	4
Austria	3.3	2.7	1.4	0.2	7.5	43	36	18	3
Belgium-Luxembourg	4.0	2.1	1.1	0.3	7.4	53	28	15	4
Ireland, Rep. of	2.5	1.0	2.5	0.2	6.2	40	16	40	3
Greece	3.4	0.9	1.1	—	5.3	63	17	20	—
Spain	3.0	1.7	0.6	—	5.2	57	32	11	—
Portugal	3.2	1.1	0.7	—	4.9	64	22	14	—
Italy	2.9	1.3	0.4	0.2	4.7	60	27	8	4
Yugoslavia	2.0	0.8	0.7	—	3.4	57	23	20	—
Malta and Gozo	1.0	1.4	0.6	—	3.0	33	47	20	—
EASTERN EUROPE and U.S.S.R.	4.5	1.3	0.8	0.1	6.6	67	19	12	1

Table 2. — Per Caput Consumption of Apparel Fibers, 1955-56 Average (concluded)

Continent and country	Cotton	Rayon	Wool	Synthetic fibers	Total	Cotton	Rayon	Wool	Synthetic fibers
<i>Kilograms</i>					<i>Percentage</i>				
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA	3.2	0.7	0.4	0.02	4.3	74	16	9	—
Argentina	6.0	0.8	1.5	0.1	8.3	71	10	18	1
Uruguay	3.1	1.7	2.6	(¹)	7.3	42	23	35	(¹)
Brazil	3.8	0.6	0.2	0.1	4.7	81	13	4	2
Chile	2.9	0.8	1.0	—	4.6	62	17	21	—
Mexico	3.1	0.9	0.1	(¹)	4.0	76	22	2	(¹)
Venezuela	2.6	1.1	0.3	(¹)	3.9	65	28	8	—
Colombia	2.8	0.7	0.4	—	3.9	72	18	10	—
Netherlands Antilles	2.2	1.2	0.3	—	3.7	59	32	8	—
Surinam	1.7	1.5	0.2	—	3.4	50	44	6	—
Costa Rica	2.1	0.7	0.3	—	3.1	68	23	10	—
Nicaragua ²	2.2	0.7	—	—	2.9	76	24	—	—
Cuba	2.7	—	—	—	2.7	—	—	—	—
British West Indies	1.4	1.2	0.1	—	2.7	52	44	4	—
Peru	1.9	0.3	0.4	—	2.5	73	12	15	—
El Salvador	2.0	0.4	—	—	2.3	83	17	—	—
Panama ³	1.4	0.9	—	—	2.3	61	39	—	—
Paraguay	2.2	—	—	—	2.2	—	—	—	—
French West Indies	1.1	1.1	—	—	2.1	50	50	—	—
Dominican Republic	1.4	0.2	—	—	1.6	88	12	—	—
Haiti	1.5	—	—	—	1.5	—	—	—	—
ASIA	1.8	0.3	0.1	0.02	2.1	82	14	5	—
Japan	4.0	2.5	0.7	0.3	7.4	53	33	9	4
Lebanon	3.8	1.4	1.4	—	6.5	58	21	21	—
Israel	4.3	1.2	0.4	—	5.9	73	20	7	—
Syria	2.4	2.5	0.8	—	5.7	42	44	14	—
Iraq	1.8	2.2	1.0	—	5.0	36	44	20	—
Turkey	3.9	0.1	0.9	—	4.9	80	2	18	—
Cyprus	2.6	1.0	0.4	—	3.9	65	25	10	—
Malaya and Singapore	2.4	1.3	0.2	—	3.8	62	34	5	—
China: Taiwan	3.2	0.3	0.1	—	3.5	89	8	3	—
Jordan	1.7	1.0	0.5	—	3.1	53	31	16	—
Korea, South	2.4	0.6	—	—	3.0	80	20	—	—
British Borneo	1.9	0.5	—	—	2.4	79	21	—	—
India	2.2	0.2	—	—	2.3	92	8	—	—
Pakistan	2.0	0.1	—	—	2.1	95	5	—	—
Thailand	1.8	0.2	—	—	2.0	90	10	—	—
Ceylon	1.2	0.6	—	—	1.8	67	33	—	—
Iran	1.3	0.3	—	—	1.6	81	19	—	—
Burma	1.4	—	—	—	1.4	—	—	—	—
Indonesia	1.1	0.3	—	—	1.4	79	21	—	—
China: Mainland	1.2	—	0.1	—	1.3	92	—	8	—
Philippines	0.9	0.4	—	—	1.3	69	31	—	—
Afghanistan	0.5	0.3	—	—	0.8	63	37	—	—
Cambodia, Laos, Viet-Nam	0.6	0.2	—	—	0.7	75	25	—	—
AFRICA	1.4	0.5	.1	0.01	1.9	70	25	5	—
Union of South Africa	2.3	1.8	0.8	0.1	4.9	46	36	16	2
Ghana	2.9	1.6	0.1	—	4.6	63	35	—	—
Egypt	3.2	0.4	0.2	—	3.8	84	11	5	—
Réunion	2.0	0.9	0.1	—	3.0	67	30	3	—
Gambia	2.3	0.5	—	—	2.8	82	18	—	—
Zanzibar-Pemba	1.7	1.0	—	—	2.6	63	37	—	—
Libya	1.7	0.4	0.5	—	2.6	65	15	19	—
Mauritius	1.8	0.6	0.2	—	2.6	69	23	8	—
Morocco (former French zone)	1.3	0.7	0.4	—	2.4	54	29	17	—
São Tomé and Príncipe	2.3	—	—	—	2.3	100	—	—	—
Tunisia	1.5	0.4	0.5	—	2.3	63	17	21	—
Algeria	1.2	0.8	0.2	—	2.1	55	36	9	—
Sierra Leone	2.1	—	—	—	2.1	100	—	—	—
Seychelles	1.6	0.5	0.1	—	2.1	73	23	5	—
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Fed. of	1.2	0.5	0.2	—	1.9	63	26	11	—
Morocco (former Spanish zone)	1.0	0.2	0.6	—	1.8	56	11	33	—
Sudan	1.4	0.3	—	—	1.7	82	18	—	—
French Camerons ⁴	1.2	0.3	0.1	—	1.6	75	19	6	—
Belgian Congo	1.0	0.4	0.2	—	1.5	63	25	13	—
British East Africa ⁵	1.0	0.4	0.1	—	1.4	67	27	4	—
Cape Verde Islands	1.4	—	—	—	1.4	100	—	—	—
Madagascar	1.1	0.3	—	—	1.4	79	21	—	—
French West Africa	1.1	0.2	—	—	1.3	85	15	—	—
Angola	1.2	—	0.1	—	1.3	92	—	8	—
Nigeria	0.7	0.5	—	—	1.2	58	42	—	—
British Somaliland	1.1	—	—	—	1.1	100	—	—	—
Mozambique	1.0	—	—	—	1.0	100	—	—	—
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of	0.8	0.1	0.1	—	1.0	80	10	10	—
French Equatorial Africa	0.8	0.1	—	—	0.9	89	11	—	—
Somalia	0.9	—	—	—	0.9	100	—	—	—
Liberia	0.8	0.1	—	—	0.8	89	11	—	—
French Togoland	0.6	—	—	—	0.9	100	—	—	—

¹Included with rayon. — ²1955 only. — ³Cotton only.

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<i>Thousand metric tons</i>														
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA (concluded)														
Brazil	1955	221.4	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	221.6	58.5	3.8
	1956	227.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	227.6	59.8	3.8
British West Indies ..	1955	0.7	0.3	—	+ 0.3	4.1	0.2	+ 3.9	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	5.2	3.5	1.5
	1956	0.7	0.3	—	+ 0.3	3.7	0.2	+ 3.5	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	4.8	3.6	1.3
Chile	1955	19.1	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	19.7	6.8	2.9
	1956	19.1	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	19.6	6.9	2.8
Colombia	1955	33.6	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.5	0.1	+ 0.4	0.3	—	+ 0.3	34.6	12.7	2.7
	1956	35.1	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	*0.3	*0.1	+ 0.2	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	35.9	12.9	2.8
Costa Rica	1955	0.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.4	—	+ 0.4	2.1	0.9	2.2
	1956	0.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.3	—	+ 1.3	0.4	—	+ 0.4	2.0	1.0	2.0
Cuba	1955	6.9	*1.4	—	+ 1.4	*6.2	—	+ 6.2	*1.4	—	+ 1.4	15.9	6.1	2.6
	1956	7.2	*3.1	—	+ 3.1	*5.7	—	+ 5.7	*1.5	—	+ 1.5	17.5	6.3	2.8
Dominican Republic ..	1955	0.7	0.2	—	+ 0.2	2.3	—	+ 2.3	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.3	2.5	1.3
	1956	0.7	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	2.4	—	+ 2.4	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.6	2.6	1.4
Ecuador	1955	3.9	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	...	—	...	...	—	...	...	3.7	...
	1956	3.9	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	...	—	...	...	—	...	...	3.7	...
El Salvador	1955	2.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.5	—	+ 1.5	0.3	—	+ 0.3	4.1	2.2	1.9
	1956	2.6	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.8	—	+ 1.8	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	4.7	2.3	2.0
French West Indies ..	1955	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.53	0.51	1.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	0.60	0.53	1.1
Guatemala	1955	2.8	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	...	—	...	...	—	...	...	3.3	...
	1956	3.0	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	...	—	...	...	—	...	...	3.3	...
Haiti	1955	0.7	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.2	—	+ 3.2	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	4.5	3.3	1.4
	1956	0.7	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*3.7	—	+ 3.7	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	5.1	3.4	1.5
Mexico	1955	89.5	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.3	1.6	— 1.3	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	88.6	29.7	3.0
	1956	95.0	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.2	1.2	— 1.0	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	94.4	30.5	3.1
Netherlands Antilles ..	1955	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.47	0.18	2.6
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.33	0.18	1.8
Nicaragua	1955	0.9	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.3	—	+ 0.3	2.7	1.2	2.2
	1956	0.9	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	2.3	1.3	1.8
Panama	1955	—	—	—	—	1.2	0.3	+ 0.9	0.4	—	+ 0.4	1.3	0.9	1.4
	1956	—	—	—	—	*1.2	—	+ 1.2	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.7	0.9	1.8
Paraguay	1955	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.5	1.6	2.2
	1956	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.4	1.6	2.1
Peru	1955	15.8	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.0	—	+ 1.0	0.5	—	+ 0.5	17.4	9.4	1.9
	1956	15.8	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.1	—	+ 1.1	0.5	—	+ 0.5	17.5	9.7	1.8
Surinam	1955	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.38	0.25	1.5
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.49	0.26	1.9
Uruguay	1955	7.8	0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.4	—	+ 0.4	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	8.9	2.6	3.4
	1956	6.9	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	7.4	2.6	2.8
Venezuela	1955	5.6	0.9	—	+ 0.9	5.9	—	+ 5.9	2.0	—	+ 2.0	14.4	5.8	2.5
	1956	6.5	0.8	—	+ 0.8	6.4	—	+ 6.4	2.1	—	+ 2.1	15.8	6.0	2.6
Total	1955	528	7	—	+ 7	34	2	+ 32	8	—	+ 8	575	182	3.2
	1956	547	8	—	+ 8	34	2	+ 32	8	—	+ 8	595	186	3.2
ASIA														
Aden Colony	1955	—	*0.7	—	—	*7.4	*7.4	—	—	—	—	—	0.14	...
	1956	—	*0.5	—	—	*6.6	*5.3	+ 1.3	—	—	—	—	0.14	...
Afghanistan	1955	4.3	—	—	—	*2.2	—	+ 2.2	—	—	—	6.5	12.0	0.5
	1956	4.6	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*1.6	—	+ 1.6	—	—	—	6.3	12.0	0.5
British Borneo	1955	—	—	—	—	1.5	—	+ 1.5	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.7	1.0	1.7
	1956	—	—	—	—	2.0	—	+ 2.0	0.3	—	+ 0.3	2.3	1.1	2.1
Burma	1955	4.6	*5.9	—	+ 5.9	8.9	—	+ 8.9	*3.0	—	+ 3.0	22.4	19.4	1.2
	1956	5.0	*10.5	—	+ 10.5	12.5	—	+ 12.5	*3.0	—	+ 3.0	31.0	19.9	1.6
Cambodia, Laos, Viet-Nam	1955	0.9	4.5	—	+ 4.5	12.4	—	+ 12.4	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	18.8	32.1	0.6
	1956	—	4.4	—	+ 4.4	10.8	—	+ 10.8	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	16.2	32.5	0.5
Ceylon	1955	0.9	0.4	—	+ 0.4	7.8	—	+ 7.8	0.3	—	+ 0.3	9.4	8.6	1.1
	1956	0.9	0.6	—	+ 0.6	9.6	—	+ 9.6	0.5	—	+ 0.5	11.6	8.9	1.3
China: Mainland	1955	735	(—)	(1.6)	— 1.5	(0.4)	(13.0)	— 12.6	—	—	—	720.8	600.0	1.2
	1956	745	(—)	(4.2)	— 4.2	(0.8)	(25.0)	— 24.2	—	—	—	716.6	609.0	1.2
Taiwan	1955	28.6	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	28.8	8.9	3.2
	1956	29.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29.7	9.2	3.2

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			Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance			
. Thousand metric tons														
ASIA (concluded)														
Cyprus	1955	0.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.9	—	+ 0.9	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.3	0.52	2.5
	1956	0.2	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.9	—	+ 0.9	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.4	0.53	2.6
Hong Kong	1955	45.1	5.9	16.3	— 10.4	15.3	24.9	— 9.6	1.3	2.6	— 1.3	23.8	2.3	10.3
	1956	49.6	12.6	15.6	— 3.0	30.5	35.8	— 5.3	2.0	2.9	— 0.9	40.4	2.4	16.8
India	1955	916	1.2	8.3	— 7.2	0.8	83.4	— 82.7	0.2	*5.3	— 5.1	821.1	381.7	2.1
	1956	934	1.8	5.5	— 3.7	1.4	83.0	— 81.6	0.2	5.0	— 4.8	843.9	387.0	2.2
Indonesia	1955	6.5	16.3	—	+ 16.3	53.1	—	+ 53.1	3.0	—	+ 3.0	78.9	82.6	1.0
	1956	7.2	20.5	—	+ 20.5	60.7	—	+ 60.7	2.9	—	+ 2.9	91.3	84.0	1.1
Iran	1955	15.8	0.1	—	+ 0.1	11.1	—	+ 11.1	0.4	0.1	+ 0.3	27.3	21.8	1.3
	1956	18.0	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	8.7	—	+ 8.7	*0.3	*0.1	+ 0.2	27.1	22.0	1.2
Iraq	1955	3.9	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	4.6	—	+ 4.6	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	9.2	5.2	1.8
	1956	4.1	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	*3.8	—	+ 3.8	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	8.6	4.8	1.8
Israel	1955	5.9	1.6	—	+ 1.6	0.3	0.3	—	0.1	0.2	— 0.1	7.4	1.7	4.4
	1956	6.9	0.7	—	+ 0.7	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	0.1	0.3	— 0.2	7.5	1.8	4.2
Japan	1955	453.1	—	10.5	— 10.5	—	111.7	— 111.7	0.1	18.6	— 18.5	312.4	89.1	3.5
	1956	566.1	—	11.2	— 11.2	—	123.0	— 123.0	0.2	25.6	— 25.4	406.5	90.0	4.5
Jordan	1955	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.1	—	+ 2.1	0.2	—	+ 0.2	2.4	1.4	1.7
	1956	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.1	—	+ 2.1	0.2	—	+ 0.2	2.4	1.5	1.6
Korea, South	1955	49.9	*1.1	—	+ 1.1	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	...	—	—	51.9	21.5	2.4
	1956	52.0	—	—	—	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	...	—	—	53.0	21.8	2.4
Lebanon	1955	3.0	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	1.9	—	+ 1.9	0.4	—	+ 0.4	5.4	1.4	3.9
	1956	2.8	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	1.9	—	+ 1.9	0.3	—	+ 0.3	5.1	1.4	3.6
Malaya and Singapore	1955	—	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	20.9	8.8	+ 12.1	4.3	0.8	+ 3.5	15.9	7.3	2.2
	1956	—	0.2	0.5	+ 0.3	23.7	9.0	+ 14.7	5.4	0.8	+ 4.6	19.0	7.5	2.5
Pakistan	1955	158.3	1.6	1.9	— 0.3	3.6	—	+ 3.6	0.3	—	+ 0.2	161.8	82.4	2.0
	1956	177.8	1.5	12.6	— 11.1	5.0	1.9	+ 3.1	0.9	—	+ 0.9	170.7	83.6	2.0
Philippines	1955	2.0	*3.3	—	+ 3.3	*15.0	—	+ 15.0	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	21.6	21.8	1.0
	1956	3.5	*4.5	—	+ 4.5	*10.0	—	+ 10.0	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	18.6	22.3	0.8
Syria	1955	8.0	*0.8	*0.1	+ 0.7	1.9	*0.4	+ 1.5	*0.3	*0.3	+ 0.1	10.2	4.1	2.5
	1956	8.2	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	1.4	*0.5	+ 0.9	*0.3	*0.2	+ 0.1	9.8	4.3	2.3
Thailand	1955	7.8	3.1	—	+ 3.1	18.0	—	+ 18.0	5.4	—	+ 5.4	34.3	20.3	1.7
	1956	6.7	4.9	0.4	+ 4.8	20.8	0.6	+ 20.2	5.6	0.1	+ 5.5	37.2	20.7	1.8
Turkey	1955	85.9	0.3	0.1	+ 0.2	7.5	—	+ 7.5	0.2	—	+ 0.2	93.8	24.1	3.9
	1956	94.5	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.1	—	+ 0.1	96.2	24.8	3.9
Total	1955	2 538	48	40	+ 8	199	251	— 52	24	29	— 5	2 489	1 487	1.7
	1956	2 725	64	53	+ 11	217	285	— 68	25	37	— 12	2 656	1 508	1.8
AFRICA														
Algeria	1955	0.4	0.6	—	+ 0.6	8.8	0.3	+ 8.5	2.2	0.1	+ 2.1	11.6	9.6	1.2
	1956	0.4	0.6	—	+ 0.6	8.2	0.2	+ 8.0	*2.2	...	+ 2.2	11.2	9.8	1.1
Angola	1955	0.2	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.8	—	+ 2.8	1.2	—	+ 1.2	4.4	4.3	1.0
	1956	0.2	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.9	—	+ 3.9	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	5.5	4.3	1.3
Belgian Congo	1955	9.8	0.1	—	+ 0.1	5.8	0.2	+ 5.6	0.7	—	+ 0.7	16.2	16.9	1.0
	1956	8.9	0.1	—	+ 0.1	5.7	0.4	+ 5.3	1.0	—	+ 1.0	15.3	17.2	0.9
British East Africa	1955	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	*14.3	*0.2	+ 14.1	7.3	—	+ 7.3	21.7	19.9	1.1
	1956	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	*12.1	*0.1	+ 12.0	4.0	—	+ 4.0	16.3	20.2	0.8
British Somaliland	1955	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	+ 0.8	...	—	—	0.80	0.64	1.2
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	+ 0.6	...	—	—	0.63	0.64	1.0
Cape Verde Islands	1955	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.27	0.17	1.6
	1956	—	—	—	—	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	0.21	0.18	1.2
Egypt	1955	83.7	0.2	10.5	— 10.3	0.5	1.1	— 0.6	0.7	—	+ 0.7	73.5	22.9	3.2
	1956	88.2	0.1	11.3	— 11.2	0.3	3.6	— 3.3	0.4	—	+ 0.4	74.1	23.4	3.2
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of	1955	3.5	1.6	—	+ 1.6	8.6	—	+ 8.6	0.5	—	+ 0.5	14.2	20.0	0.7
	1956	4.1	2.6	—	+ 2.6	8.0	—	+ 8.0	0.7	—	+ 0.7	15.4	20.0	0.8
French Cameroons	1955	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.3	—	+ 2.3	1.2	—	+ 1.2	3.6	3.1	1.2
	1956	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.9	3.2	0.6
French Equatorial Africa	1955	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.1	—	+ 3.1	*1.1	—	+ 1.1	4.3	4.7	0.9
	1956	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.9	—	+ 1.9	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	2.9	4.8	0.6

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AFRICA (concluded)														
French Somaliland . . .	1955	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	0.7	—	—	—	0.7	0.06	...
French Togoland	1955	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	1.0	—	—	—	1.0	1.1	0.9
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	0.3	—	—	—	0.4	1.1	0.3
French West Africa . . .	1955	2.2	0.3	—	+ 0.3	15.5	0.3	+ 15.2	2.5	—	+ 2.5	20.2	18.7	1.1
	1956	2.2	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	*14.6	*0.3	+ 14.3	*3.0	—	+ 3.0	19.7	18.9	1.0
Gambia	1955	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	0.8	—	—	—	0.83	0.31	2.7
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	0.6	—	—	—	0.59	0.32	1.8
Ghana	1955	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	13.1	—	+ 13.1	*2.4	—	+ 2.4	15.8	4.6	3.4
	1956	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	9.3	—	+ 9.3	*1.7	—	+ 1.7	11.2	4.7	2.4
Liberia	1955	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	0.6	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.9	1.2	0.7
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	0.7	0.3	—	+ 0.3	1.0	1.2	0.8
Libya	1955	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	*1.5	—	+ 1.5	—	—	—	1.8	1.1	1.6
	1956	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	*1.6	—	+ 1.6	—	—	—	2.0	1.1	1.8
Madagascar	1955	—	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	*3.9	—	+ 3.9	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	5.6	4.9	1.1
	1956	—	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*3.7	—	+ 3.7	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	5.7	5.0	1.1
Mauritius	1955	—	—	—	—	1.1	—	+ 1.1	—	—	—	1.1	0.57	1.9
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.9	—	+ 0.9	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.0	0.59	1.7
Morocco														
Former French zone	1955	2.2	0.6	—	+ 0.6	*7.4	—	+ 7.4	1.4	—	+ 1.4	11.6	8.5	1.4
	1956	2.2	0.6	—	+ 0.6	*6.2	—	+ 6.2	*1.2	—	+ 1.2	10.2	8.6	1.2
Former Spanish zone	1955	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.7	—	+ 0.7	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.0	1.0	1.0
Mozambique	1955	0.4	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.6	—	+ 4.6	1.0	—	+ 1.0	6.1	6.0	1.0
	1956	0.4	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.2	—	+ 4.2	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	5.6	6.1	0.9
Nigeria	1955	1.7	0.9	—	+ 0.9	24.8	0.1	+ 24.7	*2.4	—	+ 2.4	29.7	33.5	0.9
	1956	1.1	1.0	—	+ 1.0	18.1	0.1	+ 18.0	*3.1	—	+ 3.1	23.2	45.0	0.6
Réunion	1955	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.54	0.28	2.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.58	0.29	2.0
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Fed. of	1955	2.6	1.7	0.7	+ 1.0	4.6	0.5	+ 4.1	0.3	*0.1	+ 0.2	7.9	7.1	1.1
	1956	2.8	2.1	*0.4	+ 1.7	5.0	*0.4	+ 4.6	0.3	*0.1	+ 0.2	9.3	7.3	1.3
São Tomé and Principe	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.13	0.06	2.2
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.16	0.06	2.7
Seychelles	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.11	0.04	2.7
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.06	0.04	1.5
Sierra Leone	1955	—	—	—	—	2.7	—	+ 2.7	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	3.1	2.0	1.5
	1956	—	—	—	—	*2.9	—	+ 2.9	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	3.4	2.1	1.6
Somalia	1955	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.9	—	+ 0.9	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.2	1.3	0.3
	1956	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.7	—	+ 0.7	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.0	1.3	0.8
Sudan	1955	1.1	0.2	—	+ 0.2	11.7	*0.5	+ 11.2	*0.9	*0.1	+ 0.8	13.3	9.0	1.5
	1956	1.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	12.2	*0.5	+ 11.7	*0.8	*0.1	+ 0.7	13.7	10.2	1.3
Tunisia	1955	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	4.1	—	+ 4.1	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	5.6	3.7	1.5
	1956	—	0.6	—	+ 0.6	3.9	—	+ 3.9	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	5.3	3.8	1.4
Union of South Africa	1955	9.5	5.7	*0.5	+ 5.2	18.6	*0.5	+ 18.1	*0.5	*0.2	+ 0.3	33.1	14.8	2.2
	1956	10.4	4.2	*0.5	+ 3.7	19.1	*0.5	+ 18.6	*0.5	*0.2	+ 0.3	33.0	15.1	2.2
Zanzibar and Pemba	1955	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	0.60	0.28	2.1
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.33	0.28	1.2
<i>Total</i>	1955	118	15	12	+ 3	167	4	+ 163	30	1	+ 29	313	224	1.4
	1956	123	15	12	+ 3	149	6	+ 143	26	1	+ 25	294	228	1.3
OCEANIA														
Australia	1955	18.6	2.9	0.1	+ 2.8	34.1	0.1	+ 34.0	1.9	—	+ 1.9	57.3	9.2	6.2
	1956	19.1	2.4	0.1	+ 2.3	28.7	0.1	+ 28.6	2.6	—	+ 2.6	52.6	9.5	5.5
Fiji	1955	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	—	—	—	0.69	*0.34	2.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	0.57	0.35	1.6
French Oceania	1955	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	0.21	0.07	3.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	0.19	0.07	2.7
New Caledonia	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.12	0.06	2.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.12	0.07	1.7
New Hebrides	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.12	0.05	2.4
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.04	0.05	0.8
New Zealand	1955	—	1.0	—	+ 1.0	5.9	—	+ 5.9	3.2	—	+ 3.2	10.1	2.1	4.8
	1956	—	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	5.8	—	+ 5.8	*3.2	—	+ 3.2	10.0	2.8	3.6
Western Samoa	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.09	0.09	1.0
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.07	0.10	0.7
<i>Total</i>	1955	19	4	—	+ 4	41	—	+ 41	5	—	+ 5	69	14.6	4.7
	1956	19	3	—	+ 3	36	—	+ 36	6	—	+ 6	64	15.0	4.2
WORLD TOTAL	1955	8 075	130	130	—	593	554	+ 39	109	111	— 2	8 112	2 694	3.0
	1956	8 320	150	138	+ 12	594	572	+ 22	106	117	— 11	8 343	2 734	3.1

Table 4. — Wool Products Available for Home Use

Continent and country	Year	Estimated consumption of wool (clean basis)	Wool tops			Wool yarn			Wool tissues			Other wool manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput	
			Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance				
. Thousand metric tons																		
WESTERN EUROPE																Millions	Kg.	
Austria	1955	5.4	2.5	— + 2.5	1.5	1.5	—	—	1.2	0.7 + 0.5	0.4	0.3 + 0.1	8.5	7.0	1.2			
	1956	6.3	3.1	— + 3.1	1.9	2.1	— 0.2	1.6	0.7 + 0.9	0.6	0.3 + 0.3	10.4	7.0	1.5				
Belgium-Luxembourg	1955	29.4	9.4	— + 4.5	2.6	12.2	— 9.6	3.4	5.6	— 2.2	1.5	14.6	— 13.1	9.0	8.9	1.0		
	1956	35.4	10.6	— + 4.5	2.5	13.8	— 11.3	3.4	7.2	— 3.8	1.3	16.7	— 15.4	9.4	8.9	1.1		
Denmark	1955	1.8	2.0	— + 2.0	1.5	0.2 + 1.3	2.6	0.2 + 2.4	1.3	0.3 + 1.0	8.5	4.4	1.9					
	1956	1.5	2.0	— + 2.0	1.8	0.3 + 1.5	2.5	0.2 + 2.3	*1.3	*0.4 + 0.9	8.2	4.5	1.8					
Finland	1955	3.1	*3.8	— + 3.8	2.1	— + 2.1	1.3	— + 1.3	0.6	— + 0.6	10.9	4.2	2.6					
	1956	3.0	*3.6	— + 3.6	*2.6	— + 2.6	1.5	— + 1.5	*0.7	— + 0.7	11.4	4.3	2.6					
France	1955	111.4	2.7	20.2	— 17.5	0.3	20.3	— 20.2	2.3	4.4	— 2.1	1.2	3.2	— 2.0	69.6	43.3	1.6	
	1956	125.7	2.9	20.7	— 17.8	0.3	20.0	— 19.7	3.8	4.4	— 0.6	1.7	3.1	— 1.4	86.2	43.6	2.0	
Germany, Western	1955	76.4	1.9	0.9 + 1.0	15.2	1.3 + 13.9	14.0	2.4 + 11.6	5.7	2.5 + 3.2	106.1	52.2	2.0					
	1956	80.0	1.9	0.9 + 1.0	17.9	1.2 + 16.7	16.4	2.6 + 13.8	6.9	4.3 + 2.6	114.1	52.7	2.2					
Greece	1955	5.0	*1.8	— + 1.8	0.9	— + 0.9	0.2	— + 0.2	*0.2	— + 0.1	8.0	8.0	1.0					
	1956	4.5	*2.5	— + 2.5	1.1	— + 1.1	0.3	— + 0.3	*0.1	— + 0.1	8.5	8.0	1.1					
Iceland	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	— + 0.1	0.1	— + 0.1	—	—	—	—	—	0.23	0.16	1.4	
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	— + 0.1	0.1	— + 0.1	—	—	—	—	—	0.25	0.16	1.6	
Ireland, Rep. of	1955	6.0	0.4	— + 0.4	0.7	0.3 + 0.4	0.4	0.3 + 0.1	*0.4	— + 0.4	7.3	2.9	2.5					
	1956	6.0	0.4	— + 0.4	0.7	0.4 + 0.3	0.5	0.4 + 0.1	*0.4	— + 0.4	7.3	2.9	2.5					
Italy	1955	51.4	4.2	0.1 + 4.1	0.1	2.7	— 2.6	0.9	27.7	— 26.8	0.8	9.2	— 8.4	17.7	48.0	0.4		
	1956	56.3	4.3	0.1 + 4.2	0.2	4.2	— 4.0	1.0	34.0	— 33.0	0.7	9.5	— 8.8	14.7	48.2	0.3		
Malta	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	— + 0.2	—	—	—	—	—	0.19	0.31	0.6	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	— + 0.2	—	—	—	—	—	0.20	0.31	0.6	
Netherlands	1955	11.8	6.4	0.2 + 6.2	9.6	1.1 + 8.5	4.2	4.3	— 0.1	2.5	3.0	— 0.5	25.9	10.8	2.4			
	1956	12.5	7.3	0.2 + 7.1	11.1	1.6 + 9.5	5.4	4.2 + 1.2	3.4	2.9 + 0.5	30.8	10.9	2.8					
Norway	1955	3.3	1.3	— + 1.3	1.3	— + 1.3	1.3	0.1 + 1.2	0.4	— + 0.4	7.4	3.4	2.2					
	1956	3.5	1.7	— + 1.7	1.5	*0.1 + 1.4	1.4	0.1 + 1.3	*0.5	*0.2 + 0.3	8.2	3.5	2.3					
Portugal	1955	6.0	0.2	— + 0.2	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	5.9	8.8	0.7	
	1956	5.8	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	5.6	8.8	0.6	
Spain	1955	16.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	0.3	—	0.2	— 0.2	16.0	29.0	0.6		
	1956	18.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	— 0.1	17.9	29.2	0.6		
Sweden	1955	5.6	1.6	— + 1.6	1.7	0.1 + 1.6	5.9	0.5 + 5.4	2.2	0.4 + 1.8	16.0	7.3	2.2					
	1956	5.1	1.7	— + 1.7	1.5	0.1 + 1.4	6.9	0.7 + 6.2	*2.1	0.5 + 1.8	16.2	7.3	2.2					
Switzerland	1955	4.5	4.1	0.4 + 3.7	1.3	1.1 + 0.2	2.4	1.1 + 1.3	2.8	0.4 + 2.4	12.1	5.0	2.4					
	1956	5.5	4.8	0.3 + 4.5	1.9	1.4 + 0.5	2.6	1.1 + 1.5	2.9	0.3 + 2.6	14.6	5.0	2.9					
United Kingdom	1955	215.6	1.4	34.9	— 33.5	1.3	8.1	— 6.8	6.1	28.2	— 22.1	5.3	20.5	— 15.2	138.0	51.0	2.7	
	1956	215.4	0.9	37.0	— 36.1	1.2	9.1	— 7.9	*6.1	*29.2	— 22.3	*5.0	*17.0	— 12.0	137.1	51.2	2.7	
Yugoslavia	1955	10.5	0.3	— + 0.3	0.9	— + 0.9	—	0.2	— 0.2	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	11.4	17.7	0.6		
	1956	10.5	0.5	— + 0.5	1.1	— + 1.1	0.2	0.3	— 0.1	— 0.1	—	0.2	— 0.1	—	11.9	17.8	0.7	
Total	1955	564	44	62	— 18	41	49	8	47	76	— 29	25	55	— 30	479	314	1.5	
	1956	595	48	65	— 17	47	54	7	54	85	— 31	28	55	— 27	513	316	1.6	
EASTERN EUROPE and U.S.S.R.																		
	1955	195	(4)	(—) + 4	4	(—) (1)	(—) + 1	— 1	(—) (1)	(—) + 1	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	—	199	292	0.7
	1956	225	(12)	(—) + 12	12	(—) (1)	(—) + 1	— 1	(—) (1)	(—) + 1	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	(—) (1)	—	239	296	0.8
NORTH AMERICA																		
Canada	1955	9.9	4.9	— + 4.9	0.9	— + 0.9	4.9	— + 4.9	5.5	— + 5.5	26.1	15.7	1.7					
	1956	10.0	4.8	— + 4.8	0.8	— + 0.8	6.8	— + 6.8	6.2	— + 6.2	28.6	16.1	1.8					
United States	1955	172.4	0.2	— + 0.2	0.8	0.1 + 0.7	6.6	0.3 + 6.3	13.1	0.6 + 12.5	192.1	165.3	1.2					
	1956	182.8	0.5	0.1 + 0.4	1.0	0.1 + 0.9	7.9	0.3 + 7.6	14.8	0.5 + 14.3	206.0	168.1	1.2					
Total	1955	182	5	— + 5	2	— + 2	11	— + 11	19	1 + 18	218	181	1.2					
	1956	193	5	— + 5	2	— + 2	15	— + 15	21	1 + 20	235	184	1.3					
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA																		
Argentina	1955	28.0	0.1	0.8 — 0.7	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	27.3	19.1	1.4	
	1956	29.0	—	0.4 — 0.4	—	—	—	0.1	0.3	— 0.2	—	—	—	—	28.4	19.5	1.5	
Bolivia	1955	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.0	3.2	0.9	
	1956	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.0	3.2	0.9	
Brazil	1955	10.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.0	58.5	0.2	
	1956	10.0	0.5	— + 0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.5	59.8	0.2	

Table 4. — Wool Products Available for Home Use (continued)

Continent and country	Year	Estimated consumption of wool (clean basis)	Wool tops			Wool yarn			Wool tissues			Other wool manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput		
			Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance					
Thousand metric tons																			
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA (concluded)																Millions	Kg.		
British West Indies...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.2	—	0.2	—	—	—	—	0.2	3.5	0.1	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.3	—	0.3	—	—	—	—	0.3	3.6	0.1	
Chile...	1955	7.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	7.0	6.8	1.0	
	1956	7.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	7.1	6.9	1.0	
Colombia...	1955	2.0	0.3	—	+ 0.3	2.3	—	+ 2.3	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.8	12.7	0.4		
	1956	2.0	1.0	—	+ 1.0	1.8	—	+ 1.8	0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	5.0	12.9	0.4		
Costa Rica...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	0.2	1.0	0.2	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	0.3	1.0	0.3	
Cuba...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	0.1	6.1	0.02	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	0.1	6.3	0.02	
El Salvador...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.06	2.2	0.03	
Mexico...	1955	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	— 0.1	3.9	29.7	0.1		
	1956	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	— 0.1	3.9	30.5	0.1		
Peru...	1955	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	—	0.1	+ 0.1	3.3	9.4	0.4		
	1956	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.2	—	0.2	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.3	9.7	0.3		
Uruguay...	1955	19.0	—	12.7	— 12.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	6.5	2.6	2.5		
	1956	22.5	—	15.9	— 15.9	—	—	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	—	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	6.7	2.6	2.6	
Venezuela...	1955	0.1	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.5	—	+ 0.5	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.1	5.8	0.2		
	1956	0.1	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	0.8	—	+ 0.8	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	1.6	6.0	0.3		
Total ...	1955	76	—	13	— 13	3	—	+ 3	1	—	+ 1	1	—	+ 1	68	182	0.4		
	1956	80	2	16	— 14	2	—	+ 2	2	—	+ 2	1	—	+ 1	71	186	0.4		
ASIA																			
Cambodia, Laos, Viet-Nam...	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.6	32.1	0.02		
	1956	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.4	32.5	0.01		
Ceylon...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.3	8.6	0.03		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.3	8.9	0.03		
China : Mainland...	1955	28.0	*6.5	—	+ 6.5	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	34.5	600.0	0.06	
	1956	29.0	*9.3	—	+ 9.3	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	38.3	609.0	0.06	
Taiwan...	1955	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	8.9	0.06	
	1956	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	9.2	0.03	
Cyprus...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	—	0.2	0.52	0.4	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	—	0.2	0.53	0.4	
Hong Kong...	1955	—	1.1	0.1	+ 1.0	2.0	1.1	+ 0.9	2.3	0.2	+ 2.1	2.4	1.7	+ 0.7	4.7	2.3	2.0		
	1956	—	1.3	0.2	+ 1.1	1.4	1.0	+ 0.4	2.3	0.3	+ 2.0	2.4	2.0	+ 0.4	3.9	2.4	1.6		
India...	1955	9.0	5.8	—	+ 5.8	1.5	—	+ 1.5	1.2	—	+ 1.2	1.0	4.8	—	3.8	13.7	381.7	0.04	
	1956	9.0	6.8	—	+ 6.8	2.2	—	+ 2.2	0.6	—	+ 0.6	1.0	4.6	—	3.6	15.0	387.0	0.04	
Indonesia...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.6	82.6	0.01		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.8	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.0	84.0	0.01		
Iran...	1955	4.0	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.3	4.6	—	4.3	1.2	21.8	0.05	
	1956	4.0	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.1	—	+ 1.1	*0.3	5.0	—	4.7	0.5	22.0	0.02	
Iraq...	1955	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	—	—	—	—	4.7	5.2	0.9	
	1956	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	—	—	—	—	4.7	4.8	1.0	
Israel...	1955	0.5	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.5	0.2	+ 0.3	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	—	—	—	0.9	1.7	0.5	
	1956	0.5	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.3	0.3	+ 0.3	—	0.1	— 0.1	—	—	—	—	0.6	1.8	0.3	
Japan...	1955	57.4	3.3	—	+ 3.3	0.4	3.6	—	3.2	0.5	4.1	— 3.6	0.3	5.2	—	4.9	49.0	89.1	0.5
	1956	77.5	4.2	—	+ 4.2	0.3	3.3	—	3.0	0.6	4.9	— 4.3	0.3	5.1	—	4.8	69.6	90.0	0.8
Jordan...	1955	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.3	—	0.6	1.4	0.4		
	1956	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.4	—	0.7	1.5	0.5		
Korea, South...	1955	—	—	—	—	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	—	1.1	21.5	0.05	
	1956	—	—	—	—	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.9	21.8	0.04	
Lebanon...	1955	0.2	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.7	—	+ 0.7	0.4	—	+ 0.4	2.1	1.4	1.5		
	1956	0.2	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.7	—	+ 0.7	0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.8	1.4	1.3		
Malaya and Singapore...	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	0.1	+ 0.4	0.7	0.1	+ 0.6	1.0	7.3	0.1		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.6	0.2	+ 0.4	0.9	0.1	+ 0.8	1.3	7.5	0.2	
Pakistan...	1955	2.0	*1.1	—	+ 1.1	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.3	82.4	0.04		
	1956	3.0	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.5	83.6	0.05		
Syria...	1955	2.0	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	0.8	—	+ 0.8	0.3	*0.2	+ 0.1	3.4	4.1	0.8		
	1956	2.0	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.4	—	+ 0.4	0.8	—	+ 0.8	0.4	*0.2	+ 0.2	3.5	4.3	0.8		

Table 4. — Wool Products Available for Home Use (concluded)

Continent and country	Year	Estimated consumption of wool (clean basis)	Wool tops			Wool yarn			Wool tissues			Other wool manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput					
			Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance								
Thousand metric tons																						
Millions																						
ASIA (concluded)																						
Thailand	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	0.3	0.2	—	0.2	0.5	20.3	0.02					
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	—	0.2	0.1	—	0.1	0.4	20.7	0.02					
Turkey	1955	20.5	0.8	—	0.8	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	21.5	24.1	0.9					
	1956	21.5	0.9	—	0.9	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	22.5	24.8	0.9					
<i>Total</i>	1955	128	20	—	20	7	5	2	11	5	6	7	17	10	146	1 487	0.1					
	1956	151	25	—	25	6	5	1	10	6	4	8	17	9	172	1 508	0.1					
AFRICA																						
Algeria	1955	1.0	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.5	—	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	1.8	9.6	0.2					
	1956	1.0	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.6	—	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.3	2.0	9.6	0.2					
Angola	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	—	0.2	0.2	4.3	0.05					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	—	0.2	0.2	4.3	0.05					
Belgian Congo	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	3.0	0.4	2.6	2.7	16.9	0.2					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	3.0	0.4	2.6	2.8	17.2	0.2					
British East Africa	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.3	—	1.3	1.3	19.9	0.06					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.9	—	0.9	0.9	20.2	0.04					
Egypt	1955	2.0	1.3	—	1.3	0.2	—	0.2	0.6	—	0.6	0.4	—	0.4	4.5	22.9	0.2					
	1956	2.0	*1.2	—	1.2	0.1	—	0.1	0.4	—	0.4	0.2	—	0.2	3.9	23.4	0.2					
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of	1955	1.0	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	1.3	20.0	0.06					
	1956	1.0	—	—	—	0.3	—	0.3	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	1.5	20.0	0.07					
French Cameroons	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	3.1	0.06					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	3.2	0.04					
French Equatorial Africa	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	4.7	0.02					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	4.8	0.02					
French West Africa	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	*0.1	—	0.1	0.2	18.7	0.01					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	18.9	0.01					
Ghana	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	*0.1	—	0.1	0.3	4.6	0.06					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	—	—	—	0.2	4.7	0.04					
Libya	1955	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.6	1.1	0.5					
	1956	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.6	1.1	0.5					
Madagascar	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	4.9	0.04					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.2	5.0	0.04					
Mauritius	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.09	0.57	0.2					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.06	0.59	0.1					
Morocco	Former French zone	1955	3.0	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.5	—	0.5	0.2	0.2	—	3.7	8.5	0.4					
	1956	3.0	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.6	—	0.6	0.2	0.2	—	3.8	8.6	0.4					
Former Spanish zone	1955	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.6	1.0	0.6					
Mozambique	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	6.0	0.02					
Nigeria	1955	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	*0.2	—	0.2	*0.1	—	0.1	0.4	33.5	0.01					
	1956	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	*0.2	—	0.2	*0.1	—	0.1	0.4	45.0	0.01					
Rhodesia, and Nyasaland, Fed. of	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	1.6	*0.2	1.4	1.5	7.1	0.2					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	1.4	*0.1	1.3	1.4	7.3	0.2					
Sierra Leone	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	*0.1	—	0.1	0.1	2.0	0.05					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	*0.1	—	0.1	0.2	2.1	0.07					
Sudan	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	*0.2	—	0.2	0.3	9.0	0.03					
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	0.1	*0.1	—	0.1	0.2	10.2	0.02					
Tunisia	1955	1.0	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	0.4	—	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.7	3.7	0.5					
	1956	1.0	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2	0.4	—	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.7	3.8	0.4					
Union of South Africa	1955	7.0	0.2	2.6	2.4	0.4	—	0.4	3.6	—	3.6	*2.7	*0.1	2.6	11.2	14.8	0.8					
	1956	7.0	0.5	2.8	2.3	0.6	—	0.6	3.4	—	3.4	*2.1	*0.1	2.0	10.7	15.1	0.7					
<i>Total</i>	1955	16	2	3	1	1	—	1	7	—	7	11	1	10	33	224	0.1					
	1956	17	2	3	1	1	—	1	7	—	7	9	1	8	32	228	0.1					
OCEANIA																						
Australia	1955	25.5	—	2.7	2.7	0.1	0.1	—	0.9	—	0.9	9.7	—	9.7	33.4	9.2	3.6					
	1956	29.5	—	5.0	5.0	—	—	—	0.6	—	0.6	8.3	—	8.3	33.4	9.5	3.5					
New Zealand	1955	3.0	0.2	—	0.2	0.6	—	0.6	1.8	—	1.8	3.2	—	3.2	8.8	2.1	4.2					
	1956	3.0	0.2	—	0.2	0.5	—	0.5	1.3	—	1.3	2.3	—	2.3	7.3	2.8	2.6					
<i>Total</i>	1955	28	—	3	3	1	—	1	3	—	3	13	—	13	42	14.6	2.9					
	1956	32	—	5	5	1	—	1	2	—	2	11	—	11	41	15.0	2.7					
WORLD TOTAL	1955	1 189	75	81	6	55	54	1	81	81	1	76	74	2	1 186	2 696	0.4					
	1956	1 296	96	90	4	60	59	1	90	91	1	78	74	4	1 302	2 734	0.5					

Table 5. — Rayon Products Available for Home Use

Continent and country	Year	Rayon production			Rayon staple			Filament and spun rayon yarn			Rayon tissues			Other rayon manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per capita
		Staple	Filament	Total	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance			
<i>Thousand metric tons</i>																			
WESTERN EUROPE																			
Austria.....	1955	38.5	2.5	41.0	0.1	18.2	-18.1	6.2	6.7	-0.5	0.9	4.1	-3.2	0.1	0.1	-	19.2	7.0	2.7
	1956	41.3	2.3	43.6	0.6	20.1	-19.5	6.9	8.9	-2.0	1.6	5.1	-3.5	0.1	0.2	-0.1	18.5	7.0	2.6
Belgium-Luxembourg	1955	21.0	10.8	31.8	2.4	13.5	-11.1	2.7	6.5	-3.8	*6.3	*4.7	+1.6	0.5	0.6	-0.1	18.4	8.9	2.1
	1956	21.8	10.9	32.7	2.9	12.9	-10.0	3.0	7.4	-4.4	*7.0	*6.4	+0.6	0.6	0.7	-0.1	18.9	8.9	2.1
Denmark	1955	—	—	—	1.5	—	+ 1.5	1.5	—	+ 1.5	2.3	0.1	+ 2.2	0.2	—	+ 0.2	5.4	4.4	1.2
	1956	—	—	—	*2.0	—	+ 2.0	1.4	—	+ 1.4	2.5	0.1	+ 2.4	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	6.0	4.5	1.3
Finland ¹	1955	16.0	1.1	17.1	0.4	11.3	-10.9	2.3	0.1	+ 2.2	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	8.6	4.2	2.0
	1956	15.9	0.9	16.8	0.5	12.0	-11.5	2.4	0.1	+ 2.3	0.4	0.1	+ 0.3	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	8.0	4.3	1.9
France.....	1955	55.2	54.9	110.1	0.9	15.5	-14.6	2.5	16.2	-13.7	0.6	13.6	-13.0	—	0.6	-0.6	68.2	43.3	1.6
	1956	53.1	53.5	106.6	2.1	11.1	-9.0	1.9	13.8	-11.9	1.1	12.2	-11.1	0.3	0.6	-0.3	74.3	43.6	1.7
Germany, Western	1955	157.0	68.3	225.3	8.6	45.1	-36.5	14.7	15.4	-0.7	5.5	23.1	-17.6	0.1	0.3	-0.2	170.3	52.2	3.3
	1956	171.5	68.5	240.0	8.7	62.9	-54.2	18.3	17.1	+ 1.2	6.7	16.0	-9.3	0.1	0.3	-0.2	177.5	52.7	3.4
Greece	1955	—	1.5	1.5	2.4	—	+ 2.4	0.5	—	+ 0.5	2.2	—	+ 2.2	...	—	...	6.6	8.0	0.8
	1956	—	0.9	0.9	2.9	—	+ 2.9	1.0	—	+ 1.0	2.7	—	+ 2.7	...	—	...	7.5	8.0	0.9
Iceland ¹	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	(0.1)	—	+ 0.1	0.37	0.16	2.3
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	(0.1)	—	+ 0.1	0.36	0.16	2.2
Ireland, Rep. of.....	1955	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.0	—	+ 1.0	1.8	—	+ 1.8	—	—	—	3.0	2.9	1.0
	1956	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	1.3	—	+ 1.3	1.4	—	+ 1.4	—	—	—	2.9	2.9	1.0
Italy	1955	67.0	64.2	131.2	0.2	37.6	-37.4	1.2	32.4	-31.2	0.4	10.7	-10.3	0.1	0.5	-0.4	51.9	48.0	1.1
	1956	82.1	65.8	147.9	0.8	34.9	-34.1	1.0	34.9	-33.9	0.5	11.0	-10.5	0.1	0.7	-0.6	68.8	48.2	1.4
Malta.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	0.43	0.31	1.4
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	0.43	0.31	1.4
Netherlands	1955	12.7	31.2	43.9	1.7	4.6	-2.9	2.0	-20.0	-18.0	*5.4	*4.2	+ 1.2	0.4	0.4	-0.4	24.2	10.8	2.2
	1956	12.2	30.4	42.6	1.6	5.1	-3.5	2.0	20.5	-18.5	*5.9	*4.6	+ 1.3	0.6	0.5	+ 0.1	22.0	10.9	2.0
Norway ¹	1955	15.3	0.6	15.9	0.7	10.5	-9.8	1.1	1.2	-0.1	3.0	0.1	+ 2.9	0.4	-	+ 0.4	9.3	3.4	2.7
	1956	14.1	0.9	15.0	*0.7	11.1	-10.4	1.2	2.1	-0.9	*3.0	0.2	+ 2.8	*0.5	*0.1	+ 0.4	6.9	3.5	2.0
Portugal.....	1955	0.1	1.4	1.5	6.5	—	+ 6.5	1.1	—	+ 1.1	—	0.1	-0.1	—	—	—	9.0	8.8	1.0
	1956	—	1.4	1.4	7.6	—	+ 7.6	1.4	—	+ 1.4	—	0.1	-0.1	—	—	—	10.3	8.8	1.2
Spain.....	1955	32.4	14.0	46.4	1.5	0.5	+ 1.0	0.2	0.1	+ 0.1	0.6	0.3	+ 0.3	—	—	—	47.8	29.0	1.6
	1956	34.5	15.0	49.5	1.1	—	+ 1.1	0.3	—	*0.4	*1.7	—	—	—	—	—	49.3	29.2	1.7
Sweden.....	1955	12.5	5.6	18.1	1.7	8.3	-6.6	4.5	1.3	+ 3.3	*1.0	*0.2	+ 0.8	—	—	—	15.5	7.3	2.1
	1956	15.9	6.4	22.3	*1.4	12.6	-11.2	*4.7	1.2	3.5	*0.9	*0.4	+ 0.5	*0.1	+ 0.1	15.2	7.3	2.2	
Switzerland.....	1955	9.3	12.6	21.9	*0.6	*7.9	-7.3	*1.6	*10.2	-8.6	*0.6	*2.2	-1.6	—	0.8	-0.8	3.6	5.0	0.7
	1956	9.5	13.1	22.6	*0.6	*7.8	-7.2	*1.7	*9.6	-7.9	*0.5	*1.9	-1.4	—	0.9	-0.9	5.2	5.0	1.0
United Kingdom.....	1955	104.8	92.1	196.9	*0.4	*25.1	-24.7	*0.6	*13.0	-12.4	*9.9	*18.8	-8.9	0.5	1.5	-1.0	149.9	51.0	2.9
	1956	107.0	87.5	194.5	*0.2	*13.6	-13.4	*0.3	*14.3	-14.0	*11.2	*16.8	-5.6	*0.5	*1.5	-1.0	160.5	51.2	3.1
Yugoslavia.....	1955	—	—	—	11.5	—	+ 11.5	2.8	0.3	+ 2.5	0.2	0.7	-0.5	—	—	—	13.5	17.7	0.8
	1956	—	—	—	12.7	—	+ 12.7	2.0	—	+ 2.0	0.5	2.2	-1.7	—	—	—	13.0	17.8	0.7
Total	1955	542	361	903	41	198	-157	46	123	-77	42	83	-41	2	5	-3	625	314	2.0
	1956	579	358	937	46	204	-158	51	130	-79	47	79	-32	3	6	-3	665	316	2.1
EASTERN EUROPE and U.S.S.R.....	1955	233	89	322	(37)	(—)	+ 37	(10)	(—)	+ 10	(1)	(I)	(I)	—	—	—	369	292	1.3
	1956	243	105	348	(39)	(—)	+ 39	(13)	(—)	+ 13	(I)	(I)	(2)	—	—	—	399	296	1.3
NORTH AMERICA																			
Canada.....	1955	13.8	21.9	35.7	*3.7	—	+ 3.7	*2.8	1.1	+ 1.7	*3.8	0.2	+ 3.6	1.4	—	+ 1.4	46.1	15.7	2.9
	1956	13.1	21.8	34.9	*3.2	—	+ 3.2	*3.5	1.1	+ 2.4	*4.9	0.2	+ 4.7	1.9	—	+ 1.9	47.1	16.1	2.9
United States.....	1955	179.4	392.4	571.8	77.9	1.8	+ 76.1	0.9	5.0	-4.1	0.7	27.4	-26.7	0.7	0.9	-0.2	617.3	165.3	3.7
	1956	180.5	340.2	520.7	41.6	5.1	+ 36.5	0.6	5.2	-4.4	1.3	27.6	-26.3	0.8	0.9	-0.1	526.4	168.1	3.1
Total	1955	193	414	607	82	2+	80	4	6	—	2	5	28	—	23	2	1+	1	163
	1956	193	362	555	45	5+	40	4	6	—	2	6	28	—	22	3	1+	2	573
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA																			
Argentina.....	1955	1.9	10.4	12.3	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	12.9	19.1	0.7
	1956	1.8	12.2	14.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.1	—	+ 1.1	—	—	—	15.1	19.5	0.8
Bolivia.....	1955	—	—	—	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	1.3	3.2	0.4
	1956	—	—	—	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	1.6	3.2	0.5

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Continent and country	Year	Rayon production			Rayon staple			Filament and spun rayon yarn			Rayon tissues			Other rayon manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput	
		Staple	Filament	Total	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance				
Thousand metric tons																				
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA (concluded)																	Mil- lions	Kgs.		
Brazil	1955	5.5	26.5	32.0	*—	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32.0	58.5	0.5	
	1956	7.3	26.3	33.6	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33.9	59.8	0.6	
British West Indies	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.3	+ 4.3	...	—	—	—	4.3	3.5	1.2	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.5	+ 4.5	...	—	—	—	4.5	3.6	1.2	
Chile	1955	1.4	2.3	3.6	*—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	—	—	—	4.5	6.8	0.7	
	1956	2.3	2.3	4.6	*—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.9	—	+ 0.9	—	—	—	5.6	6.9	0.8	
Colombia	1955	2.7	4.3	7.0	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.4	—	+ 0.4	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.1	—	+ 0.1	9.1	12.7	0.7	
	1956	3.2	3.6	6.8	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*2.0	—	+ 2.0	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	9.2	12.9	0.7	
Costa Rica	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.7	1.0	0.7	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.7	1.0	0.7	
Cuba	1955	4.3	5.0	9.3	*—	*3.2	— 3.2	*3.2	*4.0	— 0.8	*2.5	—	—	—	—	—	6.0	—	—	
	1956	4.5	5.9	10.4	*—	*3.2	— 3.2	*3.6	*4.1	— 0.5	*1.9	—	—	—	—	—	6.3	—	—	
Dominican Republic	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	0.4	2.5	0.2	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.3	2.6	0.1	
Ecuador	1955	—	—	—	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	1.3	3.7	0.4	
	1956	—	—	—	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	1.4	3.7	0.4	
El Salvador	1955	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	—	—	—	0.8	2.2	0.4	
	1956	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	0.7	2.3	0.3	
French West Indies	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.32	0.51	0.6	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	—	—	—	0.80	0.53	1.5	
Mexico ¹	1955	7.7	15.2	22.9	1.0	—	+ 1.0	—	—	—	*3.2	—	+ 3.2	—	—	—	27.1	29.7	0.9	
	1956	6.4	13.6	20.0	1.0	—	+ 1.0	1.3	—	+ 1.3	*2.9	—	+ 2.9	—	—	—	25.2	30.5	0.8	
Netherlands Antilles	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.27	0.18	1.5	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	0.15	0.18	0.8	
Nicaragua	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.9	—	+ 0.9	—	—	—	0.9	1.2	0.7	
Panama	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.9	0.2	+ 0.7	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	
Peru	1955	—	1.2	1.2	1.1	—	+ 1.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.2	—	+ 0.2	0.1	—	0.1	2.7	9.4	0.3	
	1956	—	0.9	0.9	*1.8	—	+ 1.8	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*—	—	—	2.9	9.7	0.3	
Surinam	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.33	0.25	1.3	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	0.44	0.26	1.7	
Uruguay ¹	1955	—	0.7	0.7	*2.0	—	+ 2.0	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	3.9	2.6	1.5	
	1956	—	0.9	0.9	*2.3	—	+ 2.3	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	4.6	2.6	1.8	
Venezuela ¹	1955	0.2	2.3	2.5	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*1.5	—	+ 1.5	—	—	—	5.7	5.8	1.0	
	1956	0.4	1.8	2.2	1.4	—	+ 1.4	1.2	—	+ 1.2	1.8	—	+ 1.8	—	—	—	6.6	6.0	1.1	
Total	1955	25	67	92	6	3	+ 3	8	4	+ 4	21	5	+ 16	1	—	+ 1	116	182	0.6	
	1956	26	67	93	9	3	+ 6	9	4	+ 5	22	4	+ 18	1	—	+ 1	123	186	0.7	
ASIA																				
Aden Colony	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*2.9	*1.5	+ 1.4	—	—	—	1.4	0.14	—	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*2.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.14	—	—
Afghanistan	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*2.4	—	+ 2.4	—	—	—	2.4	12.0	0.2	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*3.1	—	+ 3.1	—	—	—	3.1	12.0	0.3	
British Borneo	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.5	1.0	0.5	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.5	1.1	0.5	
Cambodia, Laos, Viet-Nam	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	*4.0	—	+ 4.0	—	—	—	4.6	32.1	0.1	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	*7.0	—	+ 7.0	—	—	—	7.7	32.5	0.2	
Ceylon	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.0	—	+ 5.0	—	—	—	5.0	8.6	0.6	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.3	—	+ 5.3	—	—	—	5.4	8.9	0.6	
China: Mainland	1955	—	—	—	(0.4)	(—)	+ 0.4	(5.7)	(—)	+ 5.7	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	—	6.1	600	—	
	1956	—	—	—	(0.4)	(—)	+ 0.4	(5.7)	(—)	+ 5.7	(—)	(—)	(—)	(—)	—	—	6.1	609	—	
Taiwan	1955	—	—	—	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	*1.2	—	+ 1.2	*—	—	—	—	—	—	1.7	8.9	0.2	
	1956	—	—	—	*1.5	—	+ 1.5	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	*—	—	—	—	—	—	2.5	9.2	0.3	

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		Staple	Filament	Total	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance					
<i>Thousand metric tons</i>																					
ASIA (concluded)																					
Cyprus.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	—	0.5	0.52	1.0	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	—	0.5	0.53	0.9	
Hong Kong.....	1955	—	—	—	6.2	0.1	+ 6.1	10.9	10.9	—	10.1	3.0	+ 7.1	—	—	—	—	13.2	2.3	5.7	
	1956	—	—	—	3.0	0.7	+ 2.3	10.8	11.1	- 0.3	16.0	9.3	+ 6.7	—	—	—	—	8.7	2.4	3.6	
India.....	1955	5.8	6.8	12.6	3.2	+ 3.2	21.3	—	+ 21.3	2.0	0.4	+ 0.7	—	—	—	—	38.7	381.7	0.1		
	1956	8.2	9.1	17.3	19.3	+ 19.3	29.1	—	+ 29.1	1.0	0.4	+ 0.6	—	—	—	—	66.3	387.0	0.2		
Indonesia.....	1955	—	—	—	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	12.8	—	+ 12.8	7.2	—	+ 7.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	20.5	82.6	0.2		
	1956	—	—	—	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	11.4	—	+ 11.4	21.2	—	+ 21.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	32.9	84.0	0.4		
Iran.....	1955	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.5	—	+ 1.5	4.5	—	+ 4.5	0.1	—	+ 0.1	6.6	21.8	0.3		
	1956	—	—	—	*1.0	—	+ 1.0	2.3	—	+ 2.3	4.1	—	+ 4.1	0.1	—	+ 0.1	7.5	22.0	0.3		
Iraq.....	1955	—	—	—	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.4	—	+ 1.4	9.9	—	+ 9.9	—	—	—	11.8	5.2	2.3		
	1956	—	—	—	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	1.3	—	+ 1.3	8.2	—	+ 8.2	—	—	—	10.1	4.8	2.1		
Israel.....	1955	—	—	—	0.9	—	+ 0.9	1.0	—	+ 1.0	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	2.0	1.7	1.2		
	1956	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	1.0	—	+ 1.0	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	2.0	1.8	1.1		
Japan.....	1955	243.4	88.6	332.1	—	4.7	- 4.7	0.1	28.6	- 28.5	—	96.0	- 96.0	—	8.4	- 8.4	194.5	89.1	2.2		
	1956	313.0	103.0	416.0	0.1	3.7	- 3.6	0.2	26.0	- 25.8	0.2	127.3	- 127.1	—	7.7	- 7.7	251.8	90.0	2.8		
Jordan.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.4	—	+ 1.4	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.5	1.4	1.1		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.2	—	+ 1.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.3	1.5	0.9		
Korea, South.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	*11.9	—	+ 11.9	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	12.5	21.5	0.6		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	*11.7	—	+ 11.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	11.7	21.8	0.5		
Lebanon.....	1955	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	0.8	0.1	+ 0.7	0.6	—	+ 0.6	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.8	1.4	1.3		
	1956	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	0.8	—	+ 0.8	0.6	—	+ 0.6	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.9	1.4	1.4		
Malaya and Singapore.....	1955	—	—	—	1.0	—	+ 1.0	1.1	2.3	- 1.2	17.4	6.8	+ 10.6	—	—	—	10.4	7.3	1.4		
	1956	—	—	—	0.9	—	+ 0.9	0.1	0.7	+ 0.6	14.8	5.9	+ 8.9	—	—	—	9.2	7.5	1.2		
Pakistan.....	1955	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.0	—	+ 4.0	2.2	—	+ 2.2	—	—	—	6.3	82.4	0.1		
	1956	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	4.2	—	+ 4.2	0.8	—	+ 0.8	—	—	—	5.1	83.6	0.1		
Philippines.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*8.1	—	+ 8.1	—	—	—	8.2	21.8	0.4		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	*7.6	—	+ 7.6	—	—	—	7.7	22.3	0.3		
Syria.....	1955	—	—	—	4.1	—	+ 4.1	5.8	1.0	+ 4.8	*0.4	2.5	- 2.1	*0.1	*0.2	- 0.1	6.7	4.1	1.6		
	1956	—	—	—	4.3	—	+ 4.3	12.2	0.3	+ 11.9	*0.8	2.5	- 1.7	*0.1	*0.3	- 0.2	14.3	4.3	3.3		
Thailand.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	3.4	—	+ 3.4	—	—	—	4.1	20.3	0.2		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	4.0	—	+ 4.0	—	—	—	4.7	20.7	0.2		
Turkey.....	1955	0.4	0.4	0.8	—	—	—	2.4	—	+ 2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.2	24.1	0.1		
	1956	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	1.7	24.8	0.1		
Total.....	1955	249	96	345	19	5	+ 14	83	43	+ 40	84	110	- 26	1	9	—	365	1,487	0.2		
	1956	322	112	434	33	4	+ 29	94	38	+ 56	100	147	- 47	1	8	—	465	1,508	0.3		
AFRICA																					
Algeria.....	1955	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.2	—	+ 0.2	5.7	0.1	+ 5.6	0.2	—	+ 0.2	6.3	9.6	0.7		
	1956	—	—	—	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	*0.4	—	+ 0.4	*6.5	—	+ 6.5	*0.2	—	+ 0.2	7.4	9.8	0.8		
Belgian Congo.....	1955	—	—	—	1.7	—	+ 1.7	0.1	—	+ 0.1	3.9	—	+ 3.9	—	—	—	5.7	16.9	0.3		
	1956	—	—	—	1.6	—	+ 1.6	0.3	—	+ 0.3	4.3	—	+ 4.3	—	—	—	6.2	17.2	0.4		
British East Africa.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	7.3	0.1	+ 7.2	—	—	—	7.4	19.9	0.4		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	8.5	0.1	+ 8.4	—	—	—	8.5	20.2	0.4		
Egypt.....	1955	3.6	3.9	7.5	0.8	—	+ 0.8	1.8	0.1	+ 1.7	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	10.3	22.9	0.4		
	1956	3.6	3.6	7.2	*0.7	—	+ 0.7	1.7	*0.1	+ 1.6	0.1	1.7	- 1.6	—	—	—	7.9	23.4	0.3		
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of.....	1955	—	—	—	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.0	—	+ 1.0	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.5	20.0	0.1		
	1956	—	—	—	*0.8	—	+ 0.8	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.8	—	+ 0.8	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	1.8	20.0	0.1		
French Cameroons.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	+ 0.8	—	—	—	0.8	3.1	0.3		
French Equatorial Africa.....	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.6	—	+ 0.6	—	—	—	0.6	4.7	0.1		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	—	—	—	0.5	4.8	0.1		

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<i>Thousand metric tons</i>																					
AFRICA (concluded)																	<i>Mil-</i>	<i>Kg</i>			
French West Africa ..	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.0	—	+ 1.0	*3.6	0.4	+ 3.2	...	—	—	4.2	18.7	0.2		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*4.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	18.9	—		
Gambia	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	0.10	0.37	0.3		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	0.22	0.32	0.7		
Ghana	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	6.3	—	+ 6.3	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	6.5	4.6	1.4		
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	7.4	—	+ 7.4	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	8.5	4.7	1.8		
Libya	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.3	—	—	—	0.4	1.1	0.4	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.3	—	—	—	0.4	1.1	0.4	
Madagascar	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*1.2	—	+ 1.2	—	—	—	—	1.2	*4.9	0.2	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*1.5	—	+ 1.5	—	—	—	—	1.5	5.0	0.3	
Mauritius	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	—	0.37	0.57	0.6	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	—	0.36	0.59	0.6	
Morocco																					
Former French zone	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	+ 0.8	*3.3	—	+ 3.3	—	—	—	—	4.1	8.5	0.5	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	+ 0.8	*5.9	—	+ 5.9	—	—	—	—	6.7	8.6	0.8	
Former Spanish zone	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	—	0.2	1.0	0.2	
Nigeria	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 16.0	—	+ 16.0	0.9	—	+ 0.9	17.1	33.5	0.5
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	*24.1	—	+ 24.1	1.0	—	+ 1.0	25.3	45.0	0.5		
Réunion	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ 0.2	—	—	—	—	0.23	0.28	0.8	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	0.30	0.29	1.0	
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Fed. of	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.4	—	+ 2.4	—	—	—	—	2.4	7.1	0.3	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.4	—	+ 4.4	—	—	—	—	4.4	7.3	0.6	
Sierra Leone	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	—	+ 0.7	—	—	—	—	0.7	2.0	0.3	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*1.3	—	+ 1.3	—	—	—	—	1.3	2.1	0.6	
Sudan	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.8	—	+ 2.8	—	—	—	—	2.9	9.0	0.3	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	2.6	—	+ 2.6	—	—	—	—	2.7	10.2	0.3	
Tunisia	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	0.9	—	+ 0.9	—	—	—	—	1.3	3.7	0.3	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—	+ 0.5	1.1	—	+ 1.1	—	—	—	—	1.6	3.8	0.4	
Union of South Africa	1955	—	—	—	3.5	—	+ 3.5	3.4	—	+ 3.5	18.9	*0.3	+ 18.6	0.3	—	+ 0.3	25.8	14.8	1.7		
	1956	—	—	—	5.8	—	+ 5.8	3.6	—	+ 3.6	18.6	*0.3	+ 18.3	0.2	—	+ 0.2	27.9	15.1	1.8		
Zanzibar and Pemba	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	0.29	0.28	1.0	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	0.26	0.28	0.9	
<i>Total</i>	1955	4	4	8	7	9	+ 7	8	—	8	77	1	+ 76	2	—	+ 2	101	224	0.4		
	1956	3	4	7	9	9	+ 9	9	—	9	94	3	+ 91	2	—	+ 2	118	228	0.5		
OCEANIA																					
Australia	1955	—	4.5	4.5	1.2	—	+ 1.2	4.2	0.1	+ 4.1	7.2	0.1	+ 7.1	0.3	—	+ 0.3	17.2	9.2	1.9		
	1956	—	5.0	5.0	2.0	—	+ 2.0	3.3	—	+ 3.3	4.2	—	+ 4.2	0.1	—	+ 0.1	14.6	9.5	1.5		
Fiji	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	—	+ 0.3	—	—	—	—	0.34	0.34	1.0	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.4	—	+ 0.4	—	—	—	—	0.43	0.35	1.2	
French Oceania	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	—	0.08	0.07	1.1	
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	—	—	—	—	0.10	0.07	1.4	
New Zealand	1955	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.4	—	+ 0.4	3.6	—	+ 3.6	0.5	—	+ 0.5	4.6	2.1	2.2		
	1956	—	—	—	*0.1	—	+ 0.1	0.3	—	+ 0.3	3.8	—	+ 3.8	*0.5	—	+ 0.5	4.7	2.8	1.7		
<i>Total</i>	1955	—	4	4	1	—	+ 1	5	—	+ 5	11	—	+ 11	1	—	+ 1	22	14.6	1.5		
	1956	—	5	5	2	—	+ 2	4	—	+ 4	8	—	+ 8	1	—	+ 1	20	15.0	1.3		
WORLD TOTAL	1955	1 246	1 037	2 281	193	208	—	15	164	176	12	241	228	+ 13	9	15	62	2 261	2 696	0.8	
	1956	1 366	1 013	2 379	183	216	—	33	184	178	+ 6	279	263	+ 16	11	15	42	364	2 734	0.9	

Table 6. — Synthetic Fiber Products Available for Home Use

Continent and country	Year	Synthetic fiber production			Synthetic staple			Synthetic filament and spun yarn			Synthetic tissues			Other synthetic manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput
		Staple	Filament	Total	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance			
<i>Thousand metric tons</i>																			
WESTERN EUROPE																	<i>Mil-</i>	<i>Kg.</i>	
Austria	1955	—	—	—	0.06	—	+ 0.06	0.68	—	+ .68	0.20	0.15	+ .05	0.01	0.04	— .03	0.76	7.0	0.11
	1956	—	—	—	0.23	—	+ .23	0.89	0.01	+ .88	0.30	0.30	—	0.02	0.04	— .02	1.09	7.0	0.16
Belgium-Luxembourg	1955	1.13	0.09	1.22	0.26	—	+ .26	1.00	0.09	+ .91	*0.15	—	+ .15	0.09	0.17	— .08	2.46	8.9	0.28
	1956	1.13	0.50	1.63	0.53	0.02	+ .51	0.83	0.15	+ .68	*0.20	—	+ .20	0.11	0.24	— .13	2.89	8.9	0.32
Denmark	1955	—	—	—	0.22	—	+ .22	0.52	0.03	+ .49	0.11	0.01	+ .10	0.11	0.10	+ .01	0.82	4.4	0.19
	1956	—	—	—	0.41	—	+ .41	0.78	0.04	+ .74	0.17	0.01	+ .16	*0.13	*0.11	+ .02	1.33	4.5	0.30
France	1955	3.90	7.30	11.20	0.33	0.53	+ .20	0.90	2.21	— 1.31	0.01	0.43	— .42	0.02	0.16	— .14	9.14	44.3	0.21
	1956	5.26	9.57	14.83	0.17	0.14	+ .03	1.46	1.73	— .27	0.22	0.59	— .37	0.03	0.35	— .32	13.90	44.7	0.31
Germany, Western	1955	4.08	7.53	11.61	0.17	1.13	— .96	0.78	0.98	— .20	0.01	0.01	—	0.92	0.09	+ .83	11.28	52.2	0.22
	1956	5.22	9.07	14.29	0.12	1.53	— 1.41	.16	1.79	— .63	0.01	0.02	— .01	0.91	0.15	+ .76	13.00	52.7	0.25
Ireland, Rep. of	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.48	—	+ .48	0.05	—	+ .09	0.06	—	+ .06	0.62	2.9	0.22
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.43	—	+ .43	0.09	—	+ .09	0.04	—	+ .04	0.56	2.9	0.19
Italy	1955	4.55	3.99	8.54	0.32	0.15	+ .17	0.19	0.72	— .53	0.04	0.20	— .16	0.04	0.19	— .15	7.87	48.0	0.16
	1956	5.53	5.94	11.47	0.33	0.18	+ .15	0.13	0.93	— .80	0.05	0.26	— .21	0.03	0.26	— .23	10.38	48.2	0.22
Netherlands	1955	0.27	1.91	2.18	0.02	0.02	—	0.29	1.26	— .97	*0.10	*0.02	+ .08	0.22	0.13	+ .09	1.38	10.8	0.13
	1956	0.45	2.49	2.94	0.03	0.06	+ .03	0.44	1.27	— .83	*0.25	*0.05	+ .20	0.29	0.14	+ .15	2.43	10.9	0.22
Spain	1955	0.04	0.18	0.22	—	—	—	*.15	—	+ .15	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.40	29.0	0.014
	1956	0.32	0.64	0.96	—	—	—	*.20	—	+ .20	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.20	29.2	0.041
Sweden	1955	—	—	—	0.37	—	+ .37	0.96	—	+ .96	*0.18	*0.01	+ .17	0.20	—	+ .20	1.70	7.3	0.23
	1956	—	—	—	*0.38	—	+ .38	*1.57	—	+ 1.57	*0.19	*0.02	+ .17	*0.23	—	+ .23	2.35	7.3	0.32
Switzerland	1955	0.59	1.77	2.36	*0.40	*0.35	+ .05	*0.40	*0.45	— .05	*0.50	*0.25	+ .25	0.12	0.03	+ .09	2.70	5.0	0.54
	1956	0.59	1.86	2.45	*0.40	*0.30	+ .10	*0.35	*0.75	— .40	*0.65	*0.50	+ .15	0.10	0.04	+ .06	2.36	5.0	0.47
United Kingdom	1955	3.63	13.43	17.06	*0.55	*0.10	+ .45	*0.40	*0.95	— .55	*0.05	*0.30	— .25	—	0.34	— .34	16.37	51.0	0.32
	1956	9.07	15.38	24.45	*0.90	*0.25	+ .65	*0.30	*2.10	— 1.80	*0.05	*0.50	— .45	—	0.30	— .30	22.55	51.2	0.44
Yugoslavia	1955	—	—	—	0.04	—	+ .04	0.04	0.02	+ .02	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.06	17.7	0.003
	1956	—	—	—	0.12	—	+ .12	0.13	—	+ .13	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.25	17.9	0.014
<i>Total</i>	1955	18.2	36.2	54.4	2.9	2.3	+ .6	7.3	6.7	+ .6	1.4	1.4	—	2.0	1.3	+ .7	56.3	313.7	0.18
	1956	27.6	45.4	73.0	3.8	2.5	+ 1.5	9.6	8.9	+ .7	2.2	2.2	—	2.2	1.6	+ .6	75.8	316.1	0.24
EASTERN EUROPE and U.S.S.R.																			
EASTERN EUROPE and U.S.S.R.	1955	—	—	14.9	—	—	—	0.1	—	+ .1	—	—	—	—	0.2	— .2	14.8	291.5	0.05
	1956	—	—	18.8	—	—	—	0.2	—	+ .2	—	—	—	—	0.3	— .3	18.7	295.5	0.06
NORTH AMERICA																			
Canada	1955	1.36	4.90	6.26	*0.80	—	+ .80	*0.20	—	+ .20	*0.50	—	+ .50	0.14	—	+ .14	7.90	15.7	0.50
	1956	1.50	5.53	7.03	*0.90	—	+ .90	*0.25	—	+ .25	*0.50	—	+ .50	0.16	—	+ .16	8.84	16.1	0.55
United States	1955	47.76	124.28	172.04	0.13	2.14	— 2.01	0.23	4.27	— 4.04	—	3.74	— 3.74	—	0.87	— .87	161.38	165.3	0.98
	1956	57.70	123.88	181.58	0.18	3.70	— 3.52	0.12	5.30	— 5.18	—	3.95	— 3.95	—	0.87	— .87	168.06	168.1	1.00
<i>Total</i>	1955	49.1	129.2	178.3	0.9	2.1	— 1.2	0.4	4.3	— 3.9	0.5	3.7	— 3.2	0.1	0.9	— .8	169.20	181.2	0.93
	1956	59.2	129.4	188.6	1.1	3.8	— 2.7	0.3	5.3	— 5.0	0.5	3.9	— 3.4	0.2	0.9	— .7	176.80	184.5	0.96
CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA																			
Argentina	1955	—	0.27	0.27	*0.10	—	+ 0.10	0.03	—	+ .03	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.30	19.1	0.07
	1956	—	0.27	0.27	*0.10	—	+ 0.10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.30	19.5	0.07
Brazil	1955	—	0.18	0.18	*0.05	—	+ 0.05	0.21	—	+ .21	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.50	58.5	0.008
	1956	—	0.45	0.45	*0.05	—	+ 0.05	0.16	—	+ .16	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.70	59.8	0.011
Chile	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.14	—	+ .14	—	—	—	0.14	6.8	0.02
	1956	—	0.05	0.05	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.10	—	+ .10	—	—	—	0.15	6.9	0.02
Colombia	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.50	—	+ .50	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.50	12.7	0.04
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.39	—	+ .39	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.40	12.9	0.03
Costa Rica	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.01	—	+ .01	0.02	—	+ .02	0.01	—	+ .01	0.04	0.95	0.04
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.05	—	+ .05	0.04	—	+ .04	0.02	—	+ .02	0.11	0.98	0.11
<i>Total</i>	1955	—	0.4	0.4	0.2	—	+ .20	0.9	—	+ .9	1.0	—	+ 1.0	0.1	—	—	2.5	182.0	0.014
	1956	—	0.8	0.8	0.2	—	+ .20	1.1	—	+ 1.1	1.0	—	+ 1.0	0.1	—	—	3.2	186.4	0.017

Table 6. — Synthetic Fiber Products Available for Home Use (concluded)

Continent and country	Year	Synthetic fiber production			Synthetic staple			Synthetic filament and spun yarn			Synthetic tissues			Other synthetic manufactures			Available for home use	Population	Available for home use per caput
		Staple	Filament	Total	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance	Imports	Exports	Balance			
<i>Thousand metric tons</i>																			
ASIA																	<i>Mil-</i> <i>lions</i>	<i>Kg</i>	
Hong Kong	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.06	0.01	+0.05	0.61	0.32	+.29	—	—	—	0.40	2.3	0.17
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.13	0.02	+0.11	0.43	0.06	+.37	—	—	—	0.55	2.4	0.23
Israel	1955	—	0.09	0.09	0.02	—	+0.02	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.10	0.10	0.01
	1956	—	0.09	0.09	0.06	—	+0.06	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.17	0.17	0.02
Japan	1955	8.53	7.21	15.74	0.12	0.01	+0.11	... 0.07	— 0.07	—	0.19	0.19	—	0.19	0.19	15.40	89.1	0.17	
	1956	15.92	12.88	28.80	0.36	0.04	+0.32	0.05	0.32	-0.27	0.02	0.33	-0.31	0.04	0.29	0.25	28.29	90.0	0.31
Turkey	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24.1	—
	1956	—	—	—	0.14	—	+0.14	0.09	—	+0.09	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.23	24.8	0.009
Total	1955	8.5	7.3	15.8	0.1	—	+0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.9	0.5	+0.4	—	0.3	—0.3	16.0	1486.7	0.011
	1956	15.9	13.0	28.9	0.6	—	+0.6	0.5	0.3	+0.2	0.8	0.4	+0.4	—	0.5	-0.5	29.6	1508.1	0.020
AFRICA																			
Egypt	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22.9	—	
	1956	—	0.09	0.09	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.12	23.4	0.005
Union of South Africa	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.20	—	+0.20	0.76	—	+0.76	*0.50	—	0.50	1.46	13.7	0.11
	1956	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.37	—	+0.37	0.65	—	+0.65	*0.50	—	0.50	1.52	13.9	0.11
Total	1955	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	+0.2	0.8	—	+0.8	0.5	—	+0.5	1.5	224.2	0.007
	1956	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	0.4	—	+0.4	0.7	—	+0.7	0.5	—	+0.5	1.7	228.4	0.007
OCEANIA																			
Australia	1955	—	—	—	0.27	—	+0.27	1.81	—	+1.81	*0.60	—	+0.60	0.04	—	+0.04	2.72	9.2	0.30
	1956	—	—	—	0.51	—	+0.51	1.97	—	+1.97	0.88	—	+0.88	0.02	—	+0.02	3.38	9.5	0.36
New Zealand	1955	—	—	—	0.02	—	+0.02	0.22	—	+0.22	0.19	—	+0.19	0.11	—	+0.11	0.54	2.1	0.26
	1956	—	—	—	*0.04	—	+0.04	*0.18	—	+0.18	0.16	—	+0.16	*0.13	—	+0.13	0.51	2.8	0.18
Total	1955	—	—	—	0.3	—	+0.3	2.0	—	+2.0	0.8	—	+0.8	0.2	—	+0.2	3.3	14.6	0.23
	1956	—	—	—	0.5	—	+0.5	2.2	—	+2.2	1.1	—	+1.1	0.2	—	+0.2	4.0	15.0	0.27
WORLD TOTAL	1955	*183.1	*80.8	263.9	4.4	4.4	—	11.0	11.1	—1	5.4	5.6	—2	2.8	2.7	+0.1	263.7	2694.0	0.10
	1956	*201.0	*109.2	310.2	6.2	6.3	-0.1	14.3	14.5	—2	6.3	6.5	—2	3.2	3.3	-0.1	309.6	2734.0	0.11

CORRIGENDUM

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 The third line of the notes under the chart should read
 Pigs (United Kingdom): Bacon pigs, slaughter-weight basis

Commodity Notes

GRAIN - TRADE, STOCKS AND PRICES IN 1956/57¹

World exports of grain (including wheat flour) totaled about 50 million tons in 1956/57, a new record. World exports of wheat and wheat flour expanded even beyond expectations, and international trade in coarse grain also was larger than in the preceding year (see Table 1).

Table 1. — World Exports¹ of Wheat, Rye, and Coarse Grain, 1955/56 and 1956/57 (July/June)

Grain	1955/56	1956/57	Change	Percentage change
..... Million metric tons				
Wheat ²	28.20	32.20	+ 4.00	+ 14
Rye.....	1.24	1.08	- 0.16	- 13
.....				
<i>Total bread grain</i>	<i>29.44</i>	<i>33.28</i>	<i>+ 3.84</i>	<i>+ 13</i>
Barley	6.35	7.37	+ 1.02	+ 16
Oats	1.10	1.38	+ 0.28	+ 25
Maize	5.71	6.50	+ 0.79	+ 14
Sorghums, millets, etc.....	2.20	1.03	- 1.17	- 52
.....				
<i>Total coarse grain</i>	<i>15.36</i>	<i>16.28</i>	<i>+ 0.92</i>	<i>+ 6</i>
.....				
GRAND TOTAL	44.8	49.6	+ 4.8	+ 11

¹Excluding trade within the U.S.S.R. and the Eastern European bloc. —

²Including the grain equivalent of flour.

Bread Grain

The expansion of world trade in wheat was accompanied by remarkable shifts between sources of supply and markets of destination. United States shipments rose by 5.54 million tons, or 59 percent, and this country's share in world exports increased from 33 to 46 percent. Although Australia reaped a light wheat crop — the yield was 10 percent and the area 23 percent smaller than in the previous year — stocks were drawn on and shipments were increased by 650,000 tons. On the other hand, the exports from Argentina and Uruguay fell by the same quantity in 1956/57 and Canada's exports also decreased, especially if the Canadian August-July trade seasons are compared. Canadian shipments between August 1956 and July 1957 were 7.41 million tons as against 8.31 million the year before and the export value was reduced slightly more, from 526.7 million Canadian dollars to 466.0 million.

Following the extraordinarily large winter killings of wheat in 1956, France reduced exports from

2,680,000 tons during July 1955-June 1956 to 390,000 tons in the next twelve months and increased its imports from 460,000 tons to 1,790,000 tons. Italy, on the contrary, having accumulated considerable stocks of soft wheat, made large offers in foreign markets and exported 640,000 tons.

In Northwest Africa, Algeria exported almost no wheat in 1956/57 and Morocco halved its exports. In the Near East, there were some relatively important crop fluctuations, which are not unusual in semi-arid regions. These fluctuations offset each other in foreign trade: while Turkey ceased to export, Syria resumed sales at the customary level of 280,000 tons.

The expansion in world wheat exports described above and the shifts in the sources of supply resulted in a notable decrease in carry-over stocks in Australia and the United States. However, wheat supplies were greatly increased in Canada, where, on 1 August 1957, the quantity in store was more than four times the annual domestic requirements and twice the average exports of the last five years. In total, world carry-over stocks of wheat remained about as large as they were a year earlier.

On the import side, Western Europe's purchases rose by more than 2 million tons, reflecting mainly France's increased requirements and the spate of stockpiling associated with the Suez crisis. Still larger (by 3.2 million tons) was the expansion of wheat shipments to Asia. India imported 1,780,000 tons of wheat more than in 1955/56, and Pakistan increased its imports by 740,000 tons. Large quantities of wheat were also imported by South Korea and Japan.

Canada reduced wheat prices moderately and extended credit facilities to Poland for 300,000 tons. Canadian wheat exports to the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Europe, however, fell from 841,000 tons in 1955/56 to 510,000 tons in 1956/57. The United States increased its shipments under Public Law 480 by about 3.5 million tons. Sales for local currencies (mostly to India, Pakistan, Yugoslavia, Turkey, Greece, Brazil, Chile, Japan, and Korea) accounted for 5.4 million tons in 1956/57, and barter transactions (mostly with France, the United Kingdom, Japan, Western Germany, Belgium, and the Netherlands) amounted to 2.4 million tons of wheat.

Last year the Soviet Union harvested a large crop and shipped about 1 million tons to Egypt and Yugoslavia; total wheat exports of Western coun-

¹This note takes into account statements on the current situation made by delegates of several countries at the Second Session of the FAO Group on Grains (Rome, 17-23 October 1957). The tables summarize part of the information contained in the FAO publication *World Grain Trade Statistics*, compiled by the Cereals Section, Commodities Branch, Economics Division.

tries to the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Europe decreased from 1.7 million tons to 600,000 tons.

Trade in rye contracted sharply. Poland ceased to import from Western sources and Western Germany exported only one tenth of the quantity shipped in the preceding year, when exports had been exceptionally large. Prices were markedly reduced and the United States, Canada, and Argentina once more took the first places among the rye exporting countries.

Coarse Grain

International trade in coarse grain was at high levels in 1956/57. Only in a few prewar years (1931, 1932, and 1937) were larger quantities traded. Exports of barley continued to grow, reaching four times the volume shipped 10 years ago and nearly three times the average level of the prewar quinquennium. World exports of oats were also larger than in 1955/56. Maize exports continued their recent expansion but remained about one third below prewar levels. Only sorghums and millets experienced a sharp setback in 1956/57, though world exports were still maintained at about double the 1934-38 level.

Among barley exporters, France took second place following Canada, but preceding the United States. Smaller Argentine shipments were offset by larger Australian sales. Turkey ceased barley exports but Syria resumed sales at the level reached before the 1955 drought. Iraq again found difficulties in disposing of its exportable surplus of barley and sold only about 140,000 tons, as against 280,000 in the previous year and 533,000 in 1954/55. French barley found an outlet in Western Europe, especially in Belgium. Total imports of Western Germany, the United Kingdom, and the Netherlands increased by more than 1 million tons, while Japan and South Korea also absorbed considerably larger quantities of barley than in 1955/56.

In the oats trade, the United States and Argentina continued to be the largest suppliers, but Canada expanded its sales vigorously. The largest increases in imports were in the United States, the Netherlands (the world's largest importer), and Western Germany.

The United States retained the first rank among maize suppliers which it has held since 1948/49; it accounted for 55 percent of world exports in 1956/57. Argentina increased its shipments in spite of a small crop, accounting for 17 percent of world trade. The Union of South Africa, which has rapidly expanded maize exports for five successive years, took third place, with 13 percent. Western European countries increased purchases of maize by 400,000 tons, and Japan's imports rose by almost 200,000 tons. Canada, which usually takes about 150,000 tons

Table 2. — Main Exporters and Importers of Coarse Grain, 1955/56 and 1956/57

Country	1955/56	1956/57
.....Million metric tons.....		
EXPORTERS		
United States	7.40	5.91
Canada	1.51	2.08
Argentina	1.30	1.98
Australia	0.70	0.79
Union of South Africa	0.86	0.87
France	0.03	1.59
Morocco	0.49	0.41
Iraq	0.28	0.14
Turkey	0.26	0.01
Syria	0.02	0.36
TOTAL 10 COUNTRIES	12.85	14.14
Percentage of world total	84	87
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IMPORTERS		
United Kingdom	2.73	2.83
Germany, Western	2.15	2.82
Netherlands	1.81	2.22
Belgium-Luxembourg	1.24	1.42
Japan	1.11	1.41
United States	0.65	0.79
France	0.65	0.41
Italy	0.51	0.69
Austria	0.46	0.52
Switzerland	0.45	0.48
TOTAL 10 COUNTRIES	11.74	13.59
Percentage of world total	81	82

of maize, imported twice that quantity in 1956/57. The increase in Mexico's imports to 286,000 tons was due to internal crop failure.

Exports of sorghums originate largely in the United States, which accounted for 72 percent of total world shipments in 1956/57, even though its exports were 1 million tons less than the previous year.

Export prices of coarse grain underwent a pronounced decline. Carry-over stocks, especially of maize in the United States, showed a further rise.

Table 2 shows recent shifts in the aggregate trade in coarse grain of the ten main exporting and importing countries. Changes in the sources of supply were largely the converse of those noted for wheat: exports from the United States (which greatly reduced shipments under barter arrangements) were lower, while exports from Canada, and especially France, increased considerably. A notable feature was the shipment of over 500,000 tons of coarse grain — mainly barley — from the Soviet Union to the Netherlands, Western Germany, and Austria.

Current Situation

The current 1957/58 trade season, like the previous one, continues to show the influence of large supplies of coarse grain in North America. In 1957 the United States reduced its wheat and maize crops through the Soil Bank scheme, but output of coarse grain as a whole was 8 million tons larger than in the previous year, mainly owing to a record crop of grain sorghums. Canadian farmers reduced the area under wheat by 8 percent

and yields were much lower on account of drought, so that the crop was 5.5 million tons less than in 1956.

Western European crops have returned to normal patterns. In the region as a whole, import requirements would appear to be smaller for wheat and larger for feed grain, especially since livestock numbers are very high in some countries and the wheat harvested this year is of better quality.

India will probably have to import more cereals since domestic prices tend to rise. Indian production of coarse grain last season, though 1 million tons larger than in 1955/56, still remained about 2.5 million tons below the levels of 1953/54-1954/55. In Argentina the area sown to small grain has shrunk, while livestock numbers are high; Australia faces a crop failure which may nearly wipe out wheat export availabilities.

FATS AND OILS - COCONUT AND PALM-KERNEL OILS

Situation and Outlook

Although world exports of copra and coconut oil were maintained in 1957, for the first time in the last five years no significant improvement is indi-

Table 3. — Coconut and Palm-Kernel Oils, Copra and Palm-Kernels in Terms of Oil — Exports and Imports, Principal Trading Countries, 1950-52 Average and Annually 1953-56

Country and product	Aver- age 1950- 52	1953	1954	1955	1956
..... Thousand metric tons					
INDIGENOUS EXPORTS					
COPRA AND COCONUT OIL					
Philippines	525	445	556	589	727
Indonesia ¹	260	202	206	168	185
Malaya ²	57	57	36	44	52
Ceylon	116	109	103	143	124
Oceania and British Borneo	159	155	180	185	194
Other countries	57	73	69	73	71
WORLD TOTAL	1 180	1 041	1 147	1 202	1 353
PALM KERNELS AND PALM-KERNEL OIL					
British Dominions in West Africa	209	218	248	230	238
French West and Equatorial Africa ³	53	59	56	55	54
Belgian Congo	58	55	57	63	60
Portuguese Africa	17	12	11	13	15
Indonesia	13	19	19	18	18
Brazil ⁴	15	—	—	5	5
Other countries	15	14	13	13	16
WORLD TOTAL	380	377	404	397	406
RETAINED IMPORTS					
COCONUT AND PALM-KERNEL OILS					
COPRA AND PALM-KERNELS IN TERMS OF OIL					
United States	290	267	276	282	298
Other Western Hemisphere countries ⁵	63	102	82	94	106
United Kingdom	311	267	218	231	243
Germany, Western	210	230	262	280	301
France	103	112	125	125	116
Other Western European countries ⁶	331	264	359	317	368
Eastern Europe ⁷	8	3	8	11	25
India	32	41	63	64	71
Other Asian countries ⁸	68	67	127	118	90
Australia and New Zealand	23	18	21	20	22
Africa	30	19	30	23	16
WORLD TOTAL	1 469	1 390	1 571	1 565	1 656

¹Preliminary. — ²Includes unrecorded shipments from Indonesia to Malaya. — ³Net exports — ⁴Including Togo and Camerons — ⁵Bassu kernels and oil, tucum and murumuru. — ⁶Mainly Canada, Colombia, Venezuela. — ⁷Austria, Belgium-Luxembourg, Denmark, Finland, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, and Yugoslavia. — ⁸Including U.S.S.R. in 1954-56. — ⁹Mainly Japan, China, Burma.

cated. European and Asian demand remained strong, but United States imports have been made at a reduced rate. World trade in palm kernels and oil may also have declined in 1957, mainly reflecting lower production in Nigeria.

World trade in lauric-acid oils had risen appreciably in 1956. The total volume of exports (1.8 million tons, including the oil content of palm kernels and copra) exceeded the 1951 record and was 10 percent above 1955 levels (Table 3). The outstanding factor in the growth of world trade was the continued expansion of copra and coconut oil shipments from the Philippines. World exports of palm kernels and oil remained at the high level of 400,000 tons, in terms of oil, a volume which has changed little in recent years. Import demand for lauric-acid oils was well sustained, although the ample supply prevented significant price increases during a period of generally higher prices for fats and oils.

Prices of coconut and palm-kernel oils moved upwards more moderately than the general level for fats and oils during the Suez crisis in the second half of 1956, and subsequently also declined less sharply in 1957. By October 1957, prices had fallen about 8 percent below the peak of December 1956 and were at the same level as one year previously. Ample supplies of soft oils in 1958 and continued heavy exportable supplies of tallow are likely to restrain any major upturn in prices of lauric-acid oil in the next few months.

Copra and Coconut Oil Trade

Coconut crops in recent years have been large enough to permit the maintenance or expansion of exports from most producing countries, despite growing requirements for home consumption. World copra production in 1956 reached an estimated 3.3 million tons, 5 percent above 1955, and became, after soybeans, the world's second largest source of vegetable oil. Indigenous exports of copra and coconut oil in 1956 were nearly 1.4 million tons, in terms of oil, representing over 60 percent of world output. Exports increased more rapidly than

production, reflecting heavy shipments in the last quarter of the year, and working stocks were probably considerably reduced. Most major exporting countries contributed to the increase in the total, but the outstanding factor was the large volume marketed by the Philippines, totaling 727,000 tons (oil equivalent), as compared with 589,000 tons in the previous year. Shipments from major producers in the first half of the current year were at about the same level as in the comparable period of 1956 (Table 4), but nearly 20 percent below the rate achieved in June-December 1956. Total exports in 1957 will probably be slightly lower than in 1956.

Western European imports were 14 percent larger in 1956, and accounted for more than half of the growth in the quantities traded. The high import rate has continued in 1957, and heavier shipments of copra into Germany, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom, in the first half of the year, more than offset reduced purchases of coconut oil by these countries. Western Germany may have become the world's leading importer of copra and coconut oil in 1957. Imports to August totaled 164,000 tons as oil, again 7 percent higher than imports in the first eight months of 1956.

United States imports rose in 1956 to 277,000 tons (oil equivalent). Total disappearance for several previous years had been kept between 250 to

Table 4.— Indigenous Exports of Copra and Coconut Oil: Major Exporters, January-June 1957 with Comparisons

Country	1953	1954	1955	1956 ¹	January-June	
					1956 ¹	1957 ¹
..... Thousand metric tons						
COPRA (product weight).						
Philippines	600	765	805	966	440	469
Indonesia	316	321	260	285	101	117
Ceylon	22	47	69	59	15	13
New Guinea-Papua	79	84	82	79	41	45
Other Oceania and British Borneo	142	151	155	168	...	...
Other countries ²	83	89	87	92	...	...
TOTAL	1 242	1 457	1 458	1 649	597	644
As oil	795	932	933	1 055	382	412
.....						
COCONUT OIL						
Philippines	61	66	74	109	49	44
Indonesia	—	1	1	2	—	2
Malaya ³	57	36	44	52	20	25
Ceylon	95	70	99	86	46	20
New Guinea-Papua	4	19	12	10	4	8
Other Oceania and British Borneo	18	19	21	26	...	...
Other countries ⁴	11	13	18	13	...	...
TOTAL	246	215	269	298	119	99
TOTAL COCONUT OIL AND COPRA IN TERMS OF OIL	1 041	1 147	1 202	1 353	501	511

¹Preliminary. — ²Mainly Mozambique and British Commonwealth in West and East Africa. — ³Net exports of oil minus oil equivalent of net imports of copra. — ⁴Mainly Mozambique and Zanzibar.

260,000 tons. From 1953 to 1956 only 80,000 tons of coconut oil, about 30 percent of the total, has been required annually for soap production, but use in other industrial products, chiefly synthetic detergents, has grown slowly and in 1956 absorbed another 80,000 tons. Use in shortening (cooking fat) was negligible by 1956, but the demand for bakery and confectionery products increased sharply to nearly 100,000 tons, 15 percent above 1955. The upward trend in this demand has probably continued in 1957, but consumption for other purposes is estimated to have remained stable. Imports in the first nine months of 1957 dropped back to the 1955 volume; however, as the processing tax was removed in October, some increase in purchases may have occurred during the last quarter of the year. Suspension of the 3-cent per pound (\$66 per metric ton) processing tax on Philippine oil or oil from Philippine copra for a period of three years was announced in late August, and prices in September and October rose by about \$14 to approximately \$180 per ton, c.i.f. Pacific Coast. The increased cost to importers represented about one third of the tax previously paid, and domestic coconut oil prices fell sharply from \$340 per ton in August to \$283 in October.

The imports of most other countries remained at high levels in 1956. Japanese imports of copra declined from 50,000 to 40,000 tons, but Indian imports equaled 112,000 tons of copra (12 percent up from 1955), and the rate of imports for the first six months of 1957 has been double that of 1956, although official policy is now to decrease dependence on imports. Chinese imports, still a noteworthy feature of trade in 1956 (37,000 tons of copra), have not been appreciable in 1957.

The expansion in Philippine production has been due to the large plantings made immediately after the Second World War, the absence of serious typhoon damage since 1952, the protected United States market for a large proportion of exports, and active marketings in other countries. Copra production in 1956 is estimated at over 1.3 million tons, over 40 percent of the world total. The increase in output in 1957 probably slackened to about 5 percent over 1956, most of which appears to have gone into increased domestic utilization and stocks. Shipments of copra in January to September remained at 1956 levels; those of coconut oil declined by 10 percent. Shipments to Europe, nearly 300,000 tons oil equivalent in this period, again showed a moderate increase in the share of this market.

Ceylon's exports of copra and coconut oil were reduced in 1956 as output declined by an estimated 7 percent, following drought conditions from late in 1955. Shipments of copra fell by 12 percent,

those of coconut oil by 16 percent. The bulk of the copra and a large proportion of the refined oil continued to be marketed in India. The continued low rainfall up to early 1957 led to further reductions in exports, which, in the period January-August 1957, were only slightly above half of the 1956 rates. Supplies are likely to remain low throughout 1957.

In Ceylon, both long-term and short-term programs for coconut are being implemented under the 1954-59 Program of Investment, especially to provide funds for more rapid replacement of trees and measures to raise yields. The Coconut Rehabilitation Scheme got under way early in 1956, and plantings of higher quality seedlings, which reached 15,000 acres in that year, may be increased to 20,000 in 1957. An essential element for efficient marketing is considered to have been obtained through the establishment in March 1957 of a central wholesale market, where all copra destined for export must be auctioned. Colombo copra prices are usually above world market prices owing to the keen competition for supplies from a domestic oil-milling industry which has excess capacity, an export duty preference on oil, high prices in the local market for copra cake, and high prices payable by the Indian importers for a fixed quota of copra. Prices registered at Ceylon's Central Sales Room fell rather more sharply than world prices in the second quarter of 1957, and thereafter remained steady at 14 percent below peak prices from January to March. Prices in the third quarter of 1957 were equivalent to \$210 per ton, c.i.f. European port, as compared with actual world prices of approximately \$175 per ton.

Large shipments of Indonesian copra during the last quarter of 1956 raised total exports for that year 10 percent above the 1955 volume. After central marketing control was suspended in mid-1956, and with the weakening of central political administration at the end of the year, smuggling to Malaya, Singapore, British Borneo, and the Philippines apparently increased. Exports of 179,000 tons of copra in January-August 1957 were 25 percent above 1956 shipments, although the rate of exports fell off in the second quarter.

Complete information on commercial copra production in Indonesia is not available, but for a few years preceding 1956, deliveries to domestic oil mills and exports accounted for a steady volume of 500-540,000 tons annually, with higher factory utilization approximately offsetting export reductions. The larger quantities available for trade in 1956 and 1957 may therefore reflect some increase in output.

The Indonesian rupiah exchange rate has kept the official price to the copra producer far below the returns which could be obtained through illegal

barter trading with neighboring countries supplying the world market. There also appears to have been a relatively wide margin between prices paid to producers and official selling prices. At the end of 1956 the official buying price represented 68 percent of the export price, while in the Philippines the comparable ratio was 91 percent. Transportation costs to deep-sea ports may have been higher in Indonesia.

Copra shipments to Malaya-Singapore from Indonesia, the main source of supplies for the entrepôt trade and the oil-milling industry, were considered more adequate in 1956, and gross exports of oil reached 105,000 tons. Total imports into Malaya-Singapore in the first half of 1957 have risen by 50 percent, to 82,000 tons. Exports of copra, which have been directed almost entirely to India owing to the shortage of Ceylonese supplies, were 20 percent higher than in 1956. Coconut oil exports have been maintained.

Exports from Pacific areas again rose moderately last year. Prices of copra from British Commonwealth sources in the Pacific were again fixed in 1957 and a stabilization plan was also adopted in several French administered areas. The United Kingdom lowered the price paid for New Guinea and Fijian copra to £58/10/- per long ton (\$161 per metric ton), f.o.b., in 1956, still at a substantial margin over world market prices. When long-term contracts with British Commonwealth areas in the Pacific expire at the end of this year and Pacific copra meets competition from other growers, New Guinea and Papua producers expect to extend present selling arrangements through a marketing board. Some other areas are apparently seeking to make contracts for large quantities. Termination of the long-term agreement may further stimulate oil production in Papua-New Guinea, since an upper limit was fixed for quantities purchased under the long-term contracts.

Trade in Palm Kernels

The postwar upward trend in output and exports of palm kernels has been checked since 1954, largely because Nigerian supplies have not increased. A moderate decline in world exports is now estimated for 1957. During 1955-57, international prices have been markedly stable and fixed producer prices in Nigeria have not been changed. The failure of exports to expand appears to be related to difficulties in increasing commercial purchases rather than to any weakening of world demand which, like the demand for copra, has been generally strong.

Purchases of Nigerian palm kernels for export recovered in 1956 to 463,000 tons, the record 1954 level, and exports increased by 4 percent. Purchases

in January-September 1957 (325,000 tons) have again declined to well below the 375,000 tons for the same period of 1956. Quantities acquired during the third quarter of the year declined sharply, and since the volume brought forward in the fourth quarter is seasonally low, the annual total is likely to be well below 1956. At £30 per long ton (\$83 per metric ton), producer prices have been unchanged since January 1955, and the scarcity of labor to exploit fully the potential supplies of palm kernels available from palm fruit processed may be explained by the relatively greater profitability of other crops. Prices to be paid in 1958 are not yet announced. A similar situation is reported from Sierra Leone where prices are somewhat lower than in Nigeria and palm-kernel production has been gradually diminishing for several years.

World trade was well maintained during the first six months of 1957. Imports by major European buyers totaled the same as in 1956 and there was a slight increase in sales to the United States. Exports from Indonesia and Malaya continued at the 1956 rate, while oil shipments from the Belgian Congo reached 25,000 tons in January-June, more than offsetting slightly lower kernel shipments. Other African producers, including Nigeria, shipped moderately smaller quantities. Total 1957 trade, in view of the fall in Nigerian purchases, will probably show a significant decline, with reduced shipments in the second half of the year.

Relative Prices

International prices of lauric-acid oils were only moderately influenced by the sharp fluctuations in soft oil prices during 1956 and 1957, and a large proportion of the price rise during the Suez crisis reflected higher costs of transport. Since prices of soft oil have averaged significantly higher in 1956 and 1957, lauric-acid oils have become relatively cheap in competing uses. In the FAO index of international market prices of fats and oils (1952-54 = 100), the sub-index for lauric-acid oils in the calendar year 1956 was only one point higher, and in 1957 probably only one point lower, than the average index number of 87 for 1955. The sub-index for soft oils other than olive oil, by contrast, stood at 83 in 1955, rose to 105 in 1956, and fell by

3 to 4 points in 1957. Over a number of years soybean oil, as its importance in total supplies has grown, has become significantly higher priced than coconut oil. High prices of liquid edible oils in 1956-57 were partly engendered by strong demand in markets such as Mediterranean countries, where coconut oil does not compete in the same uses, chiefly for liquid cooking oils.

The cost of coconut and palm-kernel oils, as alternatives to other edible oils, became more attractive to many European users during this period, and in October 1957 the elimination of the coconut oil processing tax in the United States significantly lowered duty-paid prices, although possibilities of substitution there are more limited. If the trend should continue, manufacturers could be expected to examine the possibility of greater use of lauric-acid oils in margarine, particularly in Europe, and in other uses for which they are technically adapted. However, price developments for soft oils in 1958 may reverse the trend, if the ample supplies likely to be available cause any decline. Any slackening of the rate of growth in copra supplies would also tend to bring about narrower differentials between prices of soft and lauric-acid oil.

The coconut oil/tallow price relationship has also changed in recent years. In the early 1950's, inedible tallow was exceptionally cheap, but subsequently its price increased sharply to about 75 percent of that of coconut oil. Although world tallow supplies are one-third larger than the 1948-52 average, demand has remained strong, since the price of this commodity is still substantially below that of other fats and oils in competing uses. The general tendency to substitute tallow for lauric-acid oils in soap manufacture, as far as technically desirable, has now apparently been fully exploited. However, the use of both tallow and lauric-acid oils depends greatly upon the over-all outlook for soap manufacture, which is likely to maintain at best only the present volume of activity. The compensatory growth in coconut oil use in synthetic detergent and other fat-splitting industries has been relatively slow. For most manufacturers outside the United States, the market for lauric-acid oils is therefore likely to be more strongly influenced in the future by the price relationship between lauric and soft oils.

DAIRY PRODUCTS - PRODUCTION AND TRADE IN CASEIN

Competition in the Use of Casein

Casein is a by-product of skim milk, but it is not usually included in consumption statistics of dairy products because it is a raw material for the manufacture of various industrial products. It has

a great variety of uses, the principal ones being: coating of superior-quality papers; preparation of paints cheaper than oil paints; preparation of both water-resistant and non-water-resistant glues used for plywood and furniture; production of light and noninflammable plastics, of clothing fibers, of

special pharmaceutical products such as streptomycin; and for the fermentation of wine, transfusion of blood, and several other purposes.

Competing with casein and casein products are synthetic products in plastic manufacture, starch in coating papers, glues from soybeans, as well as oil paints and wool. The competition of these various products influences sharply the level and stability of casein prices, while the use of skim milk for manufacturing dried and evaporated milk also limits the production of casein. The availability of many competing commodities inhibits a rapid growth of the casein industry; however, this raw material has a wide and ample field for various new processes which might in the future encourage its more rapid development.

Production

Total output of casein in the principal producing countries has risen from 77,000 tons before the war to 93,000 tons in 1955, an increase of about 20 percent (Table 5). Output declined in the early postwar years but there was a noticeable upward trend after 1953.

There have been significant changes in the pattern of production. In 1938 the United States was the leading world producer with 22,000 tons, but production has continuously declined to only 1,400 tons in 1955. In the United States, skim milk is used primarily for the production of dried milk. This is more profitable to produce than casein which can be obtained at lower prices from Argentina, where about 40 percent (40,000 tons) of the world output is produced. The industry was already well developed before the war in Argentina, which, owing to its lower production costs and undeveloped use of skim milk for evaporated or dried milk, can compete successfully with other casein producers. France has now regained its prewar importance in

Table 5. — Production of Casein in Principal Producing Countries

Country	1938	1948-52	1954	1955	1956	1957 January-July
Thousand metric tons						
Argentina	16.7	27.8	38.2	34.8	41.0	19.0
France	16.5	17.8	13.0	17.8	...	...
New Zealand	3.5	6.4	8.4	13.6	14.1	5.5
Australia ¹	2.8	4.5	3.9	7.0	9.5	7.8
Italy	2.0	4.5	6.3	6.3	6.4	...
Norway	3.2	3.1	3.7	3.8	5.3	4.0
Canada	0.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.5	1.3
Denmark	0.9	4.2	2.6	2.3	4.7	...
United States	22.0	7.3	2.3	1.4	...	...
Germany, Western	5.7	0.9	1.0	1.0	...	...
Netherlands	2.4	1.6	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.1
Switzerland	0.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	...	...
TOTAL	76.9	72.3	84.7	93.0	...	...

¹1947, 1948 and 1951. — ²Estimate. — ³January-April. — ⁴July-June seasons. — ⁵July 1956-June 1957. — ⁶1951 and 1952. — ⁷1950 and 1951.

production, after a decline in the early postwar years, and New Zealand and Australia have become important new exporters and producers. In both the latter countries the large butter production provides an ample supply of skim milk for casein as well as for milk powder. Italy has expanded its production as well as imports of casein, being since 1936 a pioneer in the production of a casein fiber called Lanital. In the Netherlands and the United Kingdom, the production of casein fiber developed considerably after 1950 when wool prices were high, but output later declined as wool prices fell back.

International Trade

The main producers of casein are at the same time the principal exporters. Argentina, France, Australia, and New Zealand accounted for 85 percent of total world exports in 1938, and 76 percent in 1956 (Table 6). Argentina is the largest exporter with 45 percent of total exports in 1956. The volume of world exports rose from about 30,000 tons to 70,000 tons between 1938 and 1956, an increase of 130 percent. In addition to the four main exporters, there are 11 minor exporting countries.

The pattern of imports changed radically in the postwar period because the United States ceased to be a major producer and became the leading world importer. In 1938, the share of the United States in world imports was only 0.7 percent, but by 1956

Table 6. — Exports of Casein from Principal Exporting Countries

Country	1938	1948-50	1954	1955	1956	1957 January-June
..... Thousand metric tons						
MAIN EXPORTERS						
Argentina	13.4	27.8	33.3	37.4	31.0	23.4
New Zealand	2.1	5.1	8.3	12.4	13.6	5.3
France	9.4	4.8	13.7	13.4	8.4	7.2
Australia	0.6	0.5	1.8	4.3	7.3	(*)
Total	25.5	38.2	57.1	67.5	60.3	...
..... Thousand metric tons						
MINOR EXPORTERS						
Norway	1.0	0.8	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.2
Denmark	0.8	3.8	0.7	0.7	1.7	0.2
Canada	—	1.2	2.0	1.4	1.5	0.1
Poland ²	...	...	1.6	2.7	1.9	0.2
Union of South Africa	...	1.2	1.1	1.2	*1.1	*0.1
Uruguay	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.9	*0.9	...
South West Africa	...	0.8	0.4	...	...	...
Netherlands	2.1	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.6	*0.2
Switzerland	...	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.5	...
Germany, Western	0.4	(*)	0.4	0.3	0.5	...
United States	—	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	...
Total	4.5	8.9	9.9	10.0	10.5	...
TOTAL, ALL COUNTRIES ABOVE	30.0	47.1	67.0	77.5	70.8	...

¹January-August. — ²1949 and 1950. — ³Included in 1956 as 1 July 1956 - 30 June 1957. — ⁴Imports of the United Kingdom and Western Germany. — ⁵January-April. — ⁶Estimate. — ⁷Less than 0.1.

Table 7. — Imports of Casein in Principal Importing Countries

Country	1938	1948-50	1954	1955	1956	January-June
..... Thousand metric tons						
MAJOR IMPORTERS						
United States	0.2	19.4	27.1	33.8	32.2	¹ 16.3
United Kingdom	8.4	9.8	14.7	14.2	14.9	² 8.7
Western Germany	8.6	3.5	5.6	8.1	7.2	4.3
Italy	2.2	1.4	6.2	4.4	5.6	3.6
Japan	3.6	³ 0.8	2.5	5.0	7.1	⁴ 1.8
<i>Total</i>	23.0	34.9	56.1	65.5	67.0	...
MINOR IMPORTERS						
Finland	2.2	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.5	¹ 0.3
Belgium	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.7	² 0.8
Netherlands	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.6	1.4	³ 0.9
Sweden	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.3	⁴ 0.5
Austria	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.2
Spain . . . . .	...	1.1	0.8	1.7	1.7	...
Venezuela . . . . .	...	...	...	...	0.5	...
Mexico	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	...	...
Switzerland	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	...
Norway	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	...
Union of South Africa	0.1	0.6	0.4	(⁵)	(⁵)	...
Canada	0.1	(⁵)	(⁵)	0.1	(⁵)	...
<i>Total</i>	6.6	8.3	7.8	9.4	9.2	...
TOTAL, ALL COUNTRIES ABOVE	29.6	43.2	63.9	74.9	76.2	...

¹January-May. — ²January-August. — ³1950. — ⁴January-March. — ⁵January-July. — *Less than 0.1.

its imports had risen to 32,000 tons and its share of the total to 42 percent (Table 7). In that country, about two thirds of all casein is used for paper-coating, which industry utilizes the lactic form, while rennet casein is used for the manufacture of plastics, pharmaceuticals, paints, and glues. The United Kingdom and Western Germany are the most significant importing countries after the United States, and together they imported 22,000 tons in 1956. Japan became the fourth world importer in 1956, a position which previously had belonged to Italy. Among other importers, Finland should be mentioned; casein is used there to make glues for the woodworking industry.

Argentina ships about two thirds of its casein to the United States. New Zealand is the leading exporter of casein to the United Kingdom, while it also exports to the United States and Japan; Australia finds its main market in Japan. France supplies Western Germany, but also the United Kingdom and Italy. Poland has a well-developed trade in casein with the United Kingdom and Western Germany.

Trade Prospects and Prices

Production and trade in casein may reach record totals in 1957. This is due to increased utilization and imports in several countries; as a result, prices of casein in Argentina show an upward movement since the beginning of the year (Table 8). As Argentina is the most important casein producer and exporter, world trade depends greatly upon the behavior of export prices in that country. At the beginning of September 1957, the United States suspended until March 1960 its import duty on casein of 2½ cents per pound. In the middle of August, Argentina halved the *aforo* price to 6½ U.S. cents per pound. (The *aforo* price determines the proportion of earnings convertible at the official and free exchange rates.) However, neither this change nor the suspension of American duty significantly affected the export price of casein, which was lowered only slightly in October. In fact, in anticipation of the suspension of the American import duty, Argentina accumulated stocks which found a favorable market at unchanged export prices.

Monthly export prices of casein were considerably higher in 1957 than in 1956, but it is questionable whether such high prices can be maintained in view of the present level of demand, since foreign manufacturers have the possibility of turning to substitutes.

The long-run development of the casein industry will depend greatly on whether new technical and economic innovations will be introduced in its production and utilization to improve its competitive position. This might result in an increased output of casein in the smaller producing countries, but in the short run Argentina will retain its predominant position in the world casein market.

Table 8. — Monthly Average Prices of Argentine Casein f.o.b. Buenos Aires

At beginning of	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
	..... Pounds sterling per metric ton				
January	102	145	134	215	141
February	104	145	146	195	140
March	96	129	149	178	143
April	96	108	145	145	140
May	96	140	145	134	145
June	94	145	149	134	159
July	94	167	153	136	167
August	138	169	153	153	158
September	157	169	151	148	160
October	161	154	158	143	156
November	145	132	170	143	...
December	145	146	185	152	...

Statistical Tables

PRODUCTION - PRODUCTION

Table 1. - Area and production: New and revised data received during November 1957

Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production	Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production	Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production
RYE		1 000 ha.	1 000 m.t.	PEARS		1 000 ha.	1 000 m.t.	COCOA BEANS		1 000 ha.	1 000 m.t.
Netherlands.....	1957	—	460	Canada.....	1957	—	20	Dominican Republic..	1955	—	25.9
				United States.....	1957	—	709	Ecuador	1955	—	33.1
MILLET and SORGHUM				CITRUS FRUIT					1956	—	26.1
India ¹	1955	18 797	—	Italy					1956	—	*28.1
				Oranges and tangerines.....	1956	—	658	United States.....	1957	—	763.9
SUGAR BEET				United States				Brazil	1956	180	143.5
Germany, Western ..	1957	259	—	Lemons and limes..	1957	—	542	India ²	1957	*414	*311.0
Spain	1956	112	—					Indonesia	1956	—	*67.5
United Kingdom	1957	174	—	SOYBEANS							
POTATOES				United States.....	1957	—	*13 375	United States ³			
Canada.....	1957	—	1 863	China : Mainland.....	1952	—	9 519	Beef and veal.....	1957	—	7 201
United States.....	1957	—	10 727		1953	—	9 931	Pork	1957	—	4 853
Japan	1957	*204	*3 198		1956	—	10 234	Mutton and lamb..	1957	—	329
				GROUNDNUTS				Total	1957	—	12 383
SWEET POTATOES and YAMS				United States.....	1957	—	*682	MILK (Cow)			
				China : Mainland.....	1952	—	2 316	Denmark	1956	—	5 068
United States.....	1957	—	788		1953	—	2 127	Netherlands.....	1956	—	5 943
Brazil	1956	116	1 043		1954	—	2 767	Norway	1956	—	1 606
					1955	—	2 926	Canada	1956	—	7 856
					1956	—	3 336	United States.....	1956	—	57 016
CASSAVA				COTTONSEED				Australia ¹⁰	1957	—	6 355
Brazil	1956	1 178	15 316	United States.....	1957	—	4 402	New Zealand ¹⁰	1956	—	5 245
				Sudan	1956	—	232	BUTTER			
BROAD BEANS				LINSEED				Denmark	1956	—	165
Italy	1957	566	585	Argentina ¹	1957	*1 460	—	Sweden	1956	—	83
								Canada	1956	—	147
CHICK-PEAS				COPRA				United States.....	1956	—	707
Mexico.....	1956	130	102	Ceylon	1956	—	263	Australia ¹⁰	1957	—	195
				COFFEE				New Zealand ¹⁰	1957	—	201
APPLES				Guatemala.....	1955	—		CHEESE			
Canada.....	1957	—	*276		1956	—	66.5	Denmark	1956	—	84
United States.....	1957	—	2 532	Mexico.....	1955	—	76.0	Italy	1956	—	334
				Ecuador	1956	—	88.3	Canada	1956	—	51
						—	39.6	United States.....	1956	—	1 632
								Australia ¹⁰	1957	—	46
								New Zealand ¹⁰	1957	—	96

NOTE: Some 1956 and all 1957 data represent preliminary estimates or forecasts and are subject to revisions. Area figures generally refer to harvested area. A dash (—) denotes no revision or entry not applicable.

¹Crop year beginning in year stated. — ²Spring crop only. — ³Third estimate. — ⁴For beans. — ⁵Picked and threshed. — ⁶Sown area. — ⁷Crop year ending in year stated. — ⁸Final estimate. — ⁹Preliminary figures, partly based upon forecast. — ¹⁰Twelve-month period ending 30 June of year stated. — ¹¹From whole milk only.

Tableau 1. - Superficie et production : Données nouvelles ou révisées reçues en novembre 1957

Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production	Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production	Commodity and country Produits et pays	Year Années	Area Superficie	Production
COCOA BEANS				TOBACCO				MEAT			
Dominican Republic..	1955	—		United States.....	1957	—		United States.....	1957	—	
Ecuador	1955	—		Brazil	1956	180		Beef and veal.....	1957	—	
	1956	—		India ⁷	1957	*414		Pork	1957	—	
	1956	—		Indonesia	1956	—		Mutton and lamb..	1957	—	
	1956	—						Total	1957	—	
				MILK (Cow)							
				United States ⁹				Denmark	1956	—	
				Beef and veal.....	1957	—		Netherlands.....	1956	—	
				Pork	1957	—		Norway	1956	—	
				Mutton and lamb..	1957	—		Canada	1956	—	
				Total	1957	—		United States.....	1956	—	
								Australia ¹⁰	1957	—	
								New Zealand ¹⁰	1956	—	
				BUTTER							
				Denmark	1956	—					
				Sweden	1956	—					
				Canada	1956	—					
				United States.....	1956	—					
				Australia ¹⁰	1957	—					
				New Zealand ¹⁰	1957	—					
				CHEESE							
				Denmark	1956	—					
				Italy	1956	—					
				Canada	1956	—					
				United States.....	1956	—					
				Australia ¹⁰	1957	—					
				New Zealand ¹⁰	1957	—					

NOTE: Certaines des données relatives à 1956 et toutes les données relatives à 1957 représentent des estimations préliminaires ou des prévisions et sont donc sujettes à révision. Sauf indication contraire, les chiffres des superficies s'entendent des superficies récoltées. Un tiret (—) indique qu'il n'y a pas de chiffre révisé ou que le renseignement n'a pas lieu de figurer.

¹Campagne agricole commençant l'année indiquée. — ²Récolte de printemps seulement. — ³Troisième estimation. — ⁴Soya pour les fèves. — ⁵Récoltées et battues. — ⁶Superficie ensemencée. — ⁷Campagne agricole finissant l'année indiquée. — ⁸Estimation définitive. — ⁹Chiffres préliminaires, basés en partie sur des prévisions. — ¹⁰Période de 12 mois finissant le 30 juin de l'année indiquée. — ¹¹Fromage fabriqué à partir de lait entier seulement.

PRODUCTION - PRODUCCION

Table 2. - Rice (paddy): Area and production, 1948-52, 1955, 1956, and 1957¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production				
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	
1 000 hectares				1 000 metric tons					
EUROPE									
France	13	20	23	27	46	81	100	122	
Greece	12	17	12	14	39	61	43	...	
Hungary	16	50	46	...	41	40	96	...	
Italy	149	169	138	127	725	880	648	635	
Portugal	27	38	39	37	114	183	163	174	
Romania	16	19	17	...	21	4	2	...	
Spain	58	67	66	...	272	389	384	*480	
Yugoslavia	12	8	6	5	16	26	21	...	
Total	300	410	370	380	1 290	1 710	1 510	1 640	
U.S.S.R.	*136	142	148	...	...	...	...	...
N. and CENT. AMERICA									
Cuba	...	*134	*160	...	106	*215	*250	...	
Dominican Republic	44	...	...	...	65	74	...	...
El Salvador	*16	10	12	...	*25	13	16	...	
Mexico	96	96	115	*126	173	210	235	*270	
Nicaragua	18	*19	*23	...	22	*22	*34	...	
Panama	*62	87	85	...	*84	98	98	...	
United States	752	740	633	546	1 924	2 537	2 150	1 945	
Total	1 140	1 280	1 220	...	2 510	3 310	3 020	...	
SOUTH AMERICA									
Argentina	50	54	52	...	152	164	165	...	
Brazil	1 927	2 555	...	...	3 025	3 489	...	...
British Guiana	45	70	55	...	101	151	133	...	
Chile	26	28	28	...	76	57	83	...	
Colombia	146	188	141	...	264	324	300	...	
Ecuador	71	*63	50	*65	141	*131	116	*136	
Peru	53	*64	*60	...	205	*240	*240	...	
Total	2 410	3 150	3 060	...	4 140	4 810	4 900	...	
ASIA									
Burma ^a	3 758	3 968	4 048	...	5 309	5 873	6 464	...	
Cambodia	*1 127	1 050	1 250	1 100	*1 372	1 200	1 530	1 000	
Ceylon	*442	520	426	...	*572	741	561	...	
China	*27 045	...	...	...	*58 535	78 024	82 480	...
Mainland	762	751	...	...	1 682	2 009	*2 250	...
Taiwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
India	30 092	31 105	31 635	...	33 383	40 915	42 890	...	
Indonesia: Java and Madura	*3 762	65 570	6 692	4 213	*5 894	11 257	11 389	7 078	
Other islands	*2 114	...	...	...	*3 547	...	...	...
Iran	*220	*243	280	...	*424	*322	440	...	
Iraq	174	54	70	...	203	83	111	...	
Japan	2 982	3 079	3 096	3 239	11 939	14 818	13 080	14 403	
Korea, South	*1 050	1 089	1 097	...	*2 924	3 042	2 503	...	
Laos	*825	600	...	...	*540	510	...	...
Malaya: Federation of	343	348	...	...	635	678	782	...
Pakistan	9 003	8 864	9 083	...	12 400	10 987	13 718	...	
Philippines	2 318	2 742	2 756	...	2 767	3 273	3 337	*3 380	
Thailand	5 211	5 356	5 826	...	6 845	7 334	8 318	...	
Viet-Nam	...	2 139	2 541	...	...	2 631	3 412	...
Total	96 200	103 000	108 200	...	152 450	190 000	200 700	...	
AFRICA									
Belgian Congo	151	182	167	...	152	198	185	...	
Egypt	256	252	290	...	971	1 310	1 537	...	
French West Africa	775	807	...	...	523	673	...	...
Gambia	*111	...	...	...	*20	...	...	...
Ghana	*20	...	20	...	*23	...	...	...
Madagascar	615	740	...	...	829	1 025	...	...
Sierra Leone	*317	287	261	...	*260	220	220	...	
Tanganyika	*51	...	...	...	*62	51	...	...
Zanzibar and Pemba	8	...	...	...	11	...	...	...
Total	2 850	3 000	...	...	3 500	4 200	...	...
OCEANIA, Total	30	30	40	...	90	120	110	...	
WORLD TOTAL (excl.U.S.S.R.)	102 900	110 900	115 900	...	164 000	204 200	214 600	...	

^a1957, preliminary. — ^bAverage of 4 years. — ^cAverage of 3 years. — ^dAverage of 2 years. — ^eExcludes Putao, Chin Hills, Shan States, and Karen. — ^f1950.

^a1957, chiffres préliminaires. — ^bMoyenne de 4 années. — ^cMoyenne de 3 années. — ^dMoyenne de 2 années. — ^eNon compris Putao, Chin Hills, les Etats Chans et Karen. — ^f1950.

Table 3. - Barley : Area and production, 1948-52, 1955, 1956, and 1957¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production			
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957
1 000 hectares				1 000 metric tons				
EUROPE								
Austria	128	156	168	173	210	346	385	*383
Belgium	82	82	91	86	244	280	288	*287
Bulgaria	*244	289	259	...	419	471	343	...
Czechoslovakia	605	642	668	...	1 070	1 291	1 408	...
Denmark	495	611	648	693	1 709	2 200	2 402	2 452
Finland	129	177	193	220	201	262	286	359
France	954	1 313	2 283	1 658	1 534	2 671	6 407	3 660
Germany	...	1 116	1 181	...	...	3 062	...	...
Eastern	*263	(337)	(330)	...	673	(983)	...	...
Western	584	(779)	(851)	872	1 397	(2 079)	2 310	2 504
Greece	208	207	206	201	211	224	230	254
Hungary	456	404	403	...	654	790	645	945
Ireland, Rep. of.	64	86	96	129	163	250	319	*406
Italy	251	244	237	229	258	292	275	296
Netherlands	60	70	74	72	202	264	273	294
Norway	48	101	109	135	109	209	297	322
Poland	836	822	...	...	1 044	1 239	...	...
Portugal	145	149	152	155	96	72	78	101
Romania	*15	390	300	...	*456	445	291	...
Spain	1 557	1 539	1 575	...	1 909	1 718	1 551	*1 670
Sweden	106	213	240	263	231	408	612	570
Switzerland	22	22	34	23	55	63	60	60
United Kingdom	818	929	940	1 056	2 060	2 983	2 845	2 951
Yugoslavia	321	338	353	407	323	390	344	*600
Total	8 870	9 920	11 060	10 750	15 140	19 960	23 690	22 150
U.S.S.R.	*8 407	9 855	11 872	...	...	...	...	...
N. and CENT. AMERICA								
Canada	2 870	4 019	3 395	3 805	4 282	5 495	5 858	4 790
Mexico	222	241	246	*240	160	192	197	*170
United States	4 095	5 894	5 191	6 056	5 843	8 735	8 110	9 378
Total	7 190	10 150	8 830	10 100	10 280	14 420	14 160	14 340
SOUTH AMERICA								
Argentina	540	828	1 012	...	656	951	1 364	...
Bolivia	*56	...	...	...	*40	...	...	...
Brazil	15	30	26	...	15	35	30	...
Chile	51	61	60	...	76	101	98	...
Colombia	42	43	54	...	50	52	59	...
Ecuador	89	110	112	...	57	83	85	...
Peru	181	185	*206	...	208	208	*167	...
Uruguay	27	33	56	56	23	29	60	...
Total	1 000	1 350	1 590	...	1 120	1 500	1 910	...
ASIA								
India	3 128	3 362	3 392	3 478	2 384	2 916	2 793	2 788
Iran	*757	...	1 000	...	*767	*880	1 000	*980
Iraq	934	1 205	1 171	1 240	722	757	1 066	1 355
Japan	982	992	978	928	2 020	2 408	2 340	2 067
Korea, South	624	753	...	...	594	795	...	...
Pakistan	223	217	235	221	150	125	150	134
Syria	369	614	712	636	321	137	462	590
Turkey	1 972	2 640	2 612	*2 600	2 270	2 985	2 900	*3 700
Total (incl. estimate for China Mainland)	23 400	27 400	27 600	27 300	23 900	29 900	30 500	31 300
AFRICA								
Algeria	1 166	1 337	*1 335	...	808	707	*950	*544
Egypt	64	57	55	59	123	127	128	131
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of Ethiopia	...	...	...	...	*600	*600	*600	*600
Morocco (former French zone)	1 856	*1 903	*1 889	*1 174	1 362	*1 250	*1 594	*475
Tunisia	589	283	711	653	218	81	190	238
Union of South Africa ⁴	*45	...	...	...	39	...	...	...
Total	5 050	5 080	5 490	4 490	3 370	3 140	3 820	2 340
OCEANIA								
Australia	455	766	890	...	531	945	1 143	...
New Zealand	21	20	21	...	49	46	57	...
Total	480	790	910	...	500	990	1 200	...
WORLD TOTAL (excl. U.S.S.R.)	46 000	54 700	55 500	...	54 400	69 900	75 300	...

¹1957, preliminary figures. — ^aAverage of 3 years. — ^bAverage of 2 years. — ^cOn farms and estates. — ^dAverage of 4 years.

¹1957, chiffres préliminaires. — ^aMoyenne de 3 années. — ^bMoyenne de 2 années. — ^cDans les fermes et grands domaines. — ^dMoyenne de 4 années.

PRODUCTION - PRODUCCION

Table 4. - Oats: Area and production,
1948-52, 1955, 1956, and 1957¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production				
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	
1 000 hectares				1 000 metric tons					
EUROPE									
Austria	203	189	187	184	275	364	374	*319	
Belgium	173	149	158	148	483	481	484	*435	
Bulgaria	*162	159	151	...	144	161	135	...	
Czechoslovakia	596	526	539	...	953	974	1 034	...	
Denmark	291	266	255	237	922	863	852	800	
Finland	435	467	464	414	718	644	659	720	
France	2 355	2 077	2 277	1 667	3 393	3 640	4 604	2 800	
Germany	...	1 505	...	...	...	3 947	...	...
Eastern	*544	(536)	...	...	*1 371	(1 470)	...	...
Western	1 121	(969)	951	905	2 500	(2 477)	2 452	2 228	
Greece	146	146	147	151	119	157	148	186	
Hungary	177	121	118	...	213	176	177	277	
Ireland, Rep. of.	276	221	212	183	617	576	545	*483	
Italy	469	434	423	420	495	523	506	581	
Luxembourg	21	20	20	17	36	42	46	38	
Netherlands	142	171	153	159	419	582	483	519	
Norway	77	68	66	61	170	114	182	138	
Poland	1 710	1 661	...	...	2 219	2 287	...	...
Portugal	294	294	295	303	124	82	97	133	
Romania	*487	385	340	...	*367	374	305	...	
Spain	623	612	617	...	519	506	452	*580	
Sweden	494	509	543	523	804	597	1 149	956	
Switzerland	27	21	32	21	68	58	75	58	
United Kingdom	1 249	1 044	1 038	955	2 852	2 752	2 526	2 100	
Yugoslavia	354	321	373	405	286	278	324	*380	
Total	12 380	11 370	11 520	10 630	19 930	20 230	21 060	18 540	
U.S.S.R.	*16 726	14 811	15 063	...	...	...	...	...
N. and CENT. AMERICA									
Canada	4 623	4 524	4 738	4 458	6 328	6 289	8 088	5 931	
Mexico	71	88	89	...	47	70	71	*65	
United States	15 266	15 881	13 613	14 477	18 970	21 817	16 731	19 418	
Total	19 960	20 490	18 440	19 010	25 340	28 180	24 890	25 390	
SOUTH AMERICA									
Argentina	636	654	956	...	743	723	1 140	...	
Brazil	15	20	23	...	9	16	19	...	
Chile	91	98	103	106	82	107	119	...	
Uruguay	70	50	69	77	44	41	...	...
Total	820	830	1 160	...	880	890	1 330	...	
ASIA									
Japan	82	92	85	*74	120	169	162	*180	
Korea	...	...	...	...	*66	...	...	...
Korea, South	7	1	...	...	(4)	—	...	...
Syria	8	4	...	...	6	4	...	...
Turkey	307	369	372	*400	326	356	382	*484	
Total (incl. estimate for China Mainland)	3 100	3 600	3 600	3 700	2 900	3 700	3 800	3 900	
AFRICA									
Algeria	174	139	*125	...	136	86	*85	...	
Morocco (former French zone)	55	*28	*25	*14	51	*31	*23	*8	
Tunisia	28	25	...	...	15	4	...	...
Union of South Africa ⁴	*150	...	...	...	80	...	...	...
Total	430	390	360	...	300	230	220	...	
OCEANIA									
Australia	842	1 357	1 174	...	560	1 025	771	...	
New Zealand	21	17	18	...	47	35	40	...	
Total	860	1 370	1 190	...	610	1 060	810	...	
WORLD TOTAL (excl. U.S.S.R.)	37 600	38 100	36 300	...	50 000	54 300	52 100	...	

¹1957, preliminary figures. — *Average of 3 years. — *1948. — ⁴On farms and estates. — ²Average of 4 years.²1957, chiffres préliminaires. — *Moyenne de 3 années. — *1948. — ⁴Dans les fermes et grands domaines. — ²Moyenne de 4 années.

Table 5. - Maize : Area and production, 1948-52, 1955, 1956, and 1957¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production			
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957
..... 1 000 hectares .....				..... 1 000 metric tons				
EUROPE								
Austria.....	58	56	51	49	120	152	144	*150
Czechoslovakia : Grown alone	127	161	184	...	243	391	385	...
With other crops.....	*31	...	...	...	*55	...	...	...
France.....	324	453	653	545	447	1 091	1 738	1 423
Greece.....	243	228	232	207	225	285	234	*250
Hungary.....	1 164	1 291	1 162	1 346	2 068	2 912	2 034	...
Italy.....	1 253	1 237	1 257	*1 260	2 306	3 204	3 411	*3 465
Portugal.....	491	470	487	488	393	408	449	401
Romania.....	*3 089	3 265	3 571	...	*2 495	5 877	3 932	...
Spain.....	356	356	369	...	520	616	716	*700
Yugoslavia ²	2 227	2 470	2 570	2 608	3 078	3 900	3 370	*4 300
Total.....	10 300	11 000	11 600	11 700	13 000	20 700	17 800	20 900
U.S.S.R.								
N. and CENT. AMERICA								
Canada.....	120	205	206	208	384	800	707	748
Cuba.....	*275	*176	*183	...	223	*170	*180	...
Dominican Republic.....	*67	...	...	...	84	90	...	...
El Salvador.....	*192	173	187	...	*213	158	186	...
Guatemala.....	*536	557	615	...	*444	365	436	...
Honduras.....	279	259	...	...	205	194	...	...
Mexico.....	4 101	5 371	...	...	3 090	4 490	*4 500	...
Nicaragua.....	102	*160	*162	...	*105	*142	*150	...
United States ³	33 496	32 184	30 735	29 254	81 971	82 039	87 666	84 650
Total.....	39 400	39 500	38 000	36 600	87 000	88 700	94 400	91 400
SOUTH AMERICA								
Argentina.....	1 696	2 240	1 957	...	2 509	3 870	2 698	...
Brazil.....	4 786	5 998	...	...	5 916	6 999	...	...
Chile.....	50	57	57	...	68	97	100	...
Colombia.....	687	812	802	...	735	940	741	...
Peru.....	257	236	*235	...	418	297	*264	...
Uruguay.....	233	308	185	...	156	218	91	...
Venezuela.....	310	257	...	...	355	317	*350	...
Total.....	8 350	10 200	10 100	...	10 500	13 100	11 900	...
ASIA								
India.....	3 349	3 689	3 741	...	2 165	2 595	3 068	...
Indonesia								
Java and Madura.....	*1 625	2 042	2 176	...	*1 099	1 971	1 905	*2 000
Other Islands.....	*395				*437			
Japan ⁴	40	50	50	...	57	100	83	...
Pakistan.....	393	429	429	...	384	456	463	...
Philippines.....	969	1 675	1 454	...	696	907	*920	*920
Turkey.....	598	706	721	...	747	855	858	...
Total (incl. estimate for China Mainland).....	20 800	23 500	23 500	...	21 300	27 600	28 100	...
AFRICA								
Egypt.....	660	770	771	...	1 378	1 714	1 652	...
French West Africa.....	531	*690	...	...	306	*410	...	...
Kenya ⁵	55	64	*67	...	93	113	*80	...
Madagascar.....	83	...	...	...	70	...	...	...
Morocco (former French zone)								
Tanganyika.....	512	495	454	...	296	286	232	...
Union of South Africa.....	*233	...	...	...	*175	...	...	...
Total.....	2 811	*103 487	*103 363	...	2 453	3 379	3 724	...
	10 100	11 500	11 400	...	8 400	10 400	10 800	...
OCEANIA								
Australia.....	72	68	65	...	126	119	114	...
Total.....	75	70	70	...	140	120	120	...
WORLD TOTAL (excl. U.S.S.R.)	89 000	95 800	94 700	...	140 300	160 600	163 100	...

¹1957, preliminary. — ²1948. — ³Average of 4 years. — ⁴Area refers to principal crop, production includes mixture. — ⁵Average of 3 years. — ⁶Includes estimates of grain equivalent of maize used for silage or fodder and maize hogged off or grazed. — ⁷Excluding maize harvested green. — ⁸On farms and estates. — ⁹Average of 2 years. — ¹⁰Area sown.

¹1957, chiffres préliminaires. — ²1948. — ³Moyenne de 4 années. — ⁴La superficie s'entend de la récolte principale, la production comprend les mélanges de grains. — ⁵Moyenne de 3 années. — ⁶Y compris des estimations en équivalent de grain pour le maïs ensilé, le maïs fourrager et le maïs pâture. — ⁷Non compris le maïs récolté en vert. — ⁸Dans les fermes et grands domaines. — ⁹Moyenne de 2 années. — ¹⁰Superficie ensemencée.

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Table 6. - Onions : Area and production,
1948-52, 1954, 1955, and 1956¹

Tableau 6. - Oignons : Superficie et production,
1948-52, 1954, 1955 et 1956¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production				
	1948-52	1954	1955	1956	1948-52	1954	1955	1956	
1 000 hectares				1 000 metric tons					
EUROPE									
Austria	1	1	1	1	14	11	14	16	
Denmark ²	1	1	1	1	14	10	6	15	
France	11	11	10	...	147	170	165	...	
Germany, Western	3	3	2	1	52	43	32	24	
Greece	10	11	11	11	121	137	137	137	
Hungary	15	7	6	6	49	76	77	...	
Italy ³	20	22	24	23	234	291	315	297	
Malta	—	—	—	—	43	4	2	2	
Netherlands ²	6	6	5	6	173	125	131	155	
Norway	—	—	—	—	4	4	4	6	
Romania	27	32	31	27	178	284	217	125	
Spain	24	27	28	29	447	504	537	576	
Switzerland	1	1	1	1	15	14	14	12	
United Kingdom	4	3	3	3	88	54	43	58	
Yugoslavia	26	21	23	21	125	123	143	103	
Total	140	150	150	140	1 660	1 850	1 840	1 770	
N. and CENT. AMERICA									
Canada	3	3	2	2	60	50	53	45	
Dominican Republic	—	—	—	—	2	2	3	...	
Mexico	10	13	14	16	41	55	56	62	
United States	49	47	46	50	936	989	971	1 121	
Total	60	60	60	70	1 040	1 100	1 080	1 230	
SOUTH AMERICA									
Argentina	7	9	9	10	112	153	155	182	
Brazil	25	30	32	37	115	140	155	200	
Chile	2	3	3	—	75	91	105	*105	
Ecuador	4	5	—	6	19	69	—	71	
Paraguay	2	2	2	—	6	6	7	...	
Uruguay	1	1	—	—	75	6	—	...	
Total	40	50	50	60	330	460	500	570	
ASIA									
Ceylon	4	4	7	7	14	24	45	42	
China : Taiwan	3	3	3	—	21	22	25	...	
Cyprus	1	1	—	—	5	6	3	2	
Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	...	
Israel	2	2	3	2	12	20	23	22	
Japan	38	39	43	51	601	635	731	881	
Jordan ⁴	—	3	2	3	10	10	8	14	
Korea, South	—	2	2	—	13	24	24	...	
Lebanon	3	2	—	—	38	28	—	...	
Philippines	3	4	4	4	7	9	12	11	
Ryukyu Islands	—	—	—	—	71	2	2	1	
Syria	4	4	4	4	41	37	25	31	
Thailand	—	8	—	—	—	13	—	—	
Turkey	43	47	48	56	186	285	300	358	
Total	110	120	120	140	960	1 120	1 240	1 450	
AFRICA									
Egypt	30	43	48	48	281	379	415	403	
Union of South Africa ⁵	4	—	—	—	33	—	—	—	
Total	30	50	50	50	310	410	440	430	
OCEANIA									
Australia	3	3	3	—	49	50	40	...	
New Zealand	—	1	—	—	10	15	—	—	
Total	3	4	4	—	60	60	50	—	
WORLD TOTAL	380	430	430	460	4 360	5 000	5 150	5 500	

NOTE : Continental and world totals refer only to countries listed.

¹1956, preliminary. — ²Commercial production. — ³Average of 4 years. — ⁴Includes garlic. — ⁵Average of 2 years. — *1952. — ⁶Average of 3 years. — ⁷On farms and estates. — ⁸Grown on farms.

NOTE : Les totaux continentaux et mondiaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés.

¹1956, chiffres préliminaires. — ²Production commerciale. — ³Moyenne de 4 années. — ⁴Y compris l'ail. — ⁵Moyenne de 2 années. — ⁶1952. — ⁷Moyenne de 3 années. — ⁸Dans les petites exploitations et grands domaines. — ⁹Cultivés dans les exploitations.

Table 7. - Cotton (lint) : Area and production, 1948-52, 1955, 1956, and 1957¹

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production			
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957
1 000 hectares . . .				1 000 metric tons . . .				
EUROPE								
Bulgaria	70	166	160	154	*10	*16	*11	*12
Greece	*21	54	45	31	21	54	58	58
Hungary	27	120	113	111	*1	...	...	...
Italy	120	164	200	*182	4	14	8	*8
Romania	47	14	13	13	*11	7	6	...
Spain	21	14	13	13	8	37	49	*42
Yugoslavia	340	670	630	600	2	3	2	*2
Total	340	670	630	600	140	130	130	130
N. and CENT. AMERICA								
British West Indies	*7	...	*38	*41	*1	*1	*1	*1
El Salvador	21	46	...	...	8	31	*28	*30
Guatemala	*5	*21	*14	...	2	10	*9	...
Haiti	*16	...	...	...	*2	*1	*1	...
Mexico	676	1 059	*868	*893	220	491	*384	*429
Nicaragua	21	*110	*72	*61	8	*35	*41	*32
United States	9 798	6 850	6 319	5 538	3 092	3 192	2 886	2 556
Total	10 550	8 100	7 330	6 570	3 330	3 760	3 350	3 060
SOUTH AMERICA								
Argentina	497	533	565	...	118	122	106	...
Brazil ²	2 603	2 618	2 663	...	395	428	400	...
Colombia	45	69	*66	...	10	23	*23	...
Ecuador	*15	*18	*16	...	*3	*3	*3	...
Paraguay	*59	48	...	...	*13	12	*11	...
Peru	151	217	*226	...	76	109	*115	...
Venezuela	13	17	*20	...	4	4	*5	...
Total	3 380	3 520	3 600	...	620	700	660	...
ASIA								
Afghanistan	*63	...	...	...	*7	*12	*20	*16
Burma	*108	*162	*162	...	*15	*18	*22	*16
China: Mainland	*3 130	*4 050	*4 250	...	*530	*720	*670	...
India ⁴	5 658	8 085	8 030	*5 915	485	711	840	*889
Iran	*433	*230	*210	...	*26	*60	*62	*61
Iraq	*29	57	...	...	*3	8	*8	*10
Korea, South	129	112	*115	...	22	21	*17	...
Pakistan ⁴	1 248	1 431	1 453	*1 374	245	309	309	*329
Syria	106	249	272	*255	30	84	93	114
Thailand	34	32	39	...	7	8	11	...
Turkey	474	625	637	...	119	157	165	...
Total	11 150	15 200	15 400	...	1 600	2 250	2 260	2 300
AFRICA								
Angola	46	*54	*52	...	6	*6	*6	...
Belgian Congo	333	349	337	*340	46	49	52	*52
Egypt	761	763	694	764	396	335	325	373
French Equatorial Africa	284	*370	*365	...	27	37	34	...
French Togoland	26	35	...	...	1	2	...	...
French West Africa ⁷	220	...	...	...	7	...	...	...
Kenya	*21	*40	*33	...	*2	*2	*2	...
Mozambique	*267	*293	*293	...	*29	*22	*30	...
Nigeria . . . . .	...	...	...	...	*14	*27	...	...
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Fed. of								
Nyasaland	23	16	...	...	2	1	*2	...
Sudan	207	242	309	...	74	95	134	...
Tanganyika	74	*109	*121	...	10	22	24	31
Uganda	624	642	*635	*688	66	65	*68	...
Union of South Africa	*18	*40	*40	...	3	6	7	...
Total	3 100	3 470	3 430	...	690	690	740	800
OCEANIA								
Australia	2	4	*4	...	—	1	*1	...
WORLD TOTAL (excl. U.S.S.R.)	28 500	31 000	30 400	...	6 300	7 500	7 100	7 000

¹1957, preliminary figures. — ²Average of 4 years. — ³Data are on calendar year basis. — ⁴Data based on trade estimates as published by the International Cotton Advisory Committee are as indicated in the following table. These figures are included in the above continental and world totals.

¹1957 chiffres préliminaires. — ²Moyenne de 4 années. — ³Les données se rapportent à l'année civile. — ⁴Les données basées sur les estimations du commerce publiées par le Comité consultatif international du coton sont données dans le tableau suivant. Ces chiffres sont compris dans les totaux continentaux et mondiaux du tableau ci-dessus.

Country Pays	Area - Superficie				Production			
	1948-52	1955	1956	1957	1948-52	1955	1956	1957
1 000 hectares . . .				1 000 metric tons . . .				
India	5 659	8 187	8 498	...	575	841	878	...
Pakistan	1 248	1 431	1 441	...	256	309	304	...

⁵First estimate. — ⁶Trade estimate. — ⁷Mixed cultivation. — ⁸Purchases by the Nigerian Cotton Marketing Board. — ⁹Area in cultivation.

¹⁰1957 chiffres préliminaires. — ¹¹Moyenne de 4 années. — ¹²Les données se rapportent à l'année civile. — ¹³Les données basées sur les estimations du commerce publiées par le Comité consultatif international du coton sont données dans le tableau suivant. Ces chiffres sont compris dans les totaux continentaux et mondiaux du tableau ci-dessus.

Table 8. - Buffaloes

Tableau 8. - Buffles

Country — Pays	Date of estimate	Oct. - Sept.						
		1947/48- 1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	
..... Thousand head - Milliers de têtes								
EUROPE								
Greece	XII	64	71	72	73	76	76	
Hungary .....	...	13	...	...	...	...	...
Italy	I	12	12	14	14	14	...	
Yugoslavia	I	69	71	...	71	67	59	
<i>Total</i> .....		...	...	...	...	...	...
ASIA								
British Borneo								
Brunei	XII	8	11	11	12	11	12	
North Borneo .....	...	52	59	66	67	70	80
Sarawak .....	...	8	8	...	...	8	...
Burma ⁴	III	741	793	827	850	875	...	
Cambodia	XII	125	350	310	310	275	310	
Ceylon	V	600	656	727	795	789	...	
China : Mainland	**16 086	*19 227	*20 359	*21 104	*21 312	...	...
Taiwan	XII	284	311	315	326	329	...	
Hong Kong	XII	1	1	1	1	...	...
India .....	...	*40 721	...	...	...	44 766	...
Indonesia .....	...	2 770	*2 867	...	*2 924	*2 888	...
Iran .....	...	*111	...	...	...	...	...
Iraq .....	...	*709	...	...	...	...	...
Malaya, Fed. of	XII	211	237	243	237	243	243	
Pakistan .....	...	*6 415	*6 904	7 067	7 067	7 067	...
Philippines	I	2 114	2 510	2 981	3 279	3 591	...	
Portuguese Timor		80	118	87	110	122	...	
Syria	XII	6	6	7	6	6	...	
Thailand	XII	5 385	5 671	5 737	5 960	...	...
Turkey	XII	939	1 013	1 044	1 071	1 056	1 075	
<i>Total</i>		78 800	86 100	88 300	90 100	90 900	...	
AFRICA								
Egypt .....	...	*1 212	...	1 262	1 323	...	...
Tunisia .....	...	1 370	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Total</i>		1 600	1 600	1 600	1 700	...	...
OCEANIA								
Guam	VI	1	1	1	...	...	...
WORLD TOTAL (excl. U.S.S.R.)		80 400	90 100	90 200	92 400	...	...

NOTE : Continental and world totals refer only to countries listed and are approximations.

¹1947/48. — ²Average of 2 years. — ³Average of 3 years. — ⁴Excluding Karennei, Putao, Shan States, and Chin Hills. — ⁵Average of 4 years. — ⁶September. — ⁷December. — ⁸1951/52.

NOTE : Les totaux continentaux et mondiaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés et sont approximatifs.

¹1947/48. — ²Moyenne de 2 années. — ³Moyenne de 3 années. — ⁴Non compris Karennei, Putao, les Etats Shan et Chin Hills. — ⁵Moyenne de 4 années. — ⁶Septembre. — ⁷Décembre. — ⁸1951/52.

Table 9. - Goats

Tableau 9. - Espèce caprine

Country Pays	Date of estimate	Oct. - Sept.						
		1947/48- 1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	
..... Thousand head - Milliers de têtes								
EUROPE								
Albania	XII	1830	...	...	...	...	...
Austria	XII	315	311	298	280	256	227	
Belgium	15 V	72	38	37	83	83	82	
Bulgaria	XII	**900	...	*760	*770	652	...	
Czechoslovakia	I I	952	...	...	...	...	...
Denmark	VII	36	...	5	5	...	...
Finland	VI	6	5	4	5	2	...	
France	1 X	1 251	1 289	1 278	1 251	1 280	1 275	
Germany	XII	*2 819	*2 486	2 068	*1 855	*1 626	...	
Eastern ⁶	XII	(1 461)	(1 329)	(1 136)	(961)	(860)	...	
Western	XII	(1 354)	(1 153)	(929)	(891)	(766)	(660)	
Berlin	XII	...	...	7 (3)	...	...	...
Greece	XII	3 672	4 139	4 510	4 643	4 795	4 800	
Hungary . . . . .	...	*115	...	**160	...	...	...
Ireland, Rep. of	1 VI	50	46	...	...	...	...
Italy	I	2 464	1 981	1 798	1 731	1 679	1 679	
Liechtenstein	III-IV	1 ¹	...	...	...	...	...
Luxembourg	V	1	1	—	—	—	—	
Malta	X	52	1162	1162	...	1145	1144	
Netherlands . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Norway ¹³	20 VI	131	119	123	116	110	...	
Poland	30 VI	4694	...	...	...	...	...
Romania	XII	**340	...	*345	...	...	...
Saar	XII	81	61	50	39	31	...	
Spain	1 IV	*7 184	1 3 754	...	*3 428	...	...
Sweden	1 VI	46	...	...	...	...	...
Switzerland	21 IV	169	142	145	120	112	...	
United Kingdom ¹³	XII	437	*41	*37	...	20	...	
Yugoslavia	I	1 098	623	...	218	...	...
Total		24 400	23 000	22 200	21 600	...	...
U.S.S.R.	1 I	*13 472	15 657	*121 021	*119 271	*117 654	...	
N. and CENT. AMERICA								
British Honduras . . . . .	...	12	1	1	1	...	...
British West Indies . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bahamas . . . . .	...	14	14	...	...	...	...
Barbados . . . . .	...	16	16	...	...	...	...
Dominica . . . . .	...	15	4	4	*4	4	...
Grenada . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jamaica . . . . .	...	*350	350	350	350	350	...
Leeward Islands	XII	*26	*32	*22	*21	...	...
Antigua . . . . .	...	...	(6)	(5)	(5)	...	...
Montserrat . . . . .	...	...	(2)	(2)	(2)	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis . . . . .	...	1 (11)	...	...	...	...	...
Virgin Islands . . . . .	...	...	1 (15)	(4)	(3)	...	...
St. Lucia . . . . .	...	16	6	6	...	...	...
St. Vincent . . . . .	...	19	19	9	7	6	...
Trinidad and Tobago . . . . .	...	20	*32	...	...	...	...
Canada ¹³	V	18	...	...	...	...	...
Costa Rica . . . . .	...	176	...	...	...	...	...
Cuba . . . . .	...	*150	...	...	...	...	...
Dominican Republic	VI	313	262	503	700	...	...
El Salvador	X	*18	13	15	14	14	...	
Guadeloupe	XII	16	25	30	30	...	...
Guatemala	IV-V	*75	134	91	86	78	...	
Haiti . . . . .	...	*1892	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	VIII	31	...	*53	*58	...	...
Martinique . . . . .	...	*14	15	15	15	...	...
Mexico	XII	*6 920	*9 000	...	...	8 522	...
Netherlands Antilles	XII	*74	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	XII	13	...	...	...	...	...
Puerto Rico ¹³	I	*80	31	27	24	28	22	
United States ^{13,14} . . . . .	...	2 602	2 337	2 618	2 546	2 700	2 835
Virgin Islands (U.S.) ¹³	IV	174	...	2	2	2	...	
Total		12 300	13 600	13 900	14 200	

For notes, see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

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Table 9. - Goats (continued)

Tableau 9. - Espèce caprine (suite)

Country Pays	Date of estimate	Oct. - Sept. Thousand head - Milliers de têtes						
		1947/48- 1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	
SOUTH AMERICA								
..... Thousand head - Milliers de têtes								
Bolivia	X	1 229						
Brazil	31-XII	8 359	8 822	8 915	9 481	9 879	10 339	
British Guiana ¹⁸	VIII	15	10	13	12		...	
Chile		1 661			800	1 300		
Colombia	XII	525		88, 81294	...	14, 89342	14, 89215	
Ecuador	VIII	1 038						
Paraguay .....	...	1 468	68				
Peru	XII	1 421	2 036	2 283	2 454	2 254		
Surinam	XII	4		5				
Uruguay	V	119						
Venezuela	XI	1 273						
Total		19 500	20 300	20 700	21 600	...	...
ASIA								
Aden Protectorate .....	...	1 742	855	855	855	855	...
Afghanistan .....	...	...	8 000	...	...	...	...
British Borneo								
Brunei	XII	1	1	1	1	1	1	
North Borneo	XII	6	10	17	17	20	20	
Sarawak .....	...	1%	6			6	...
Burma	III	179	200	222	230	239		
Cambodia .....	...						
Ceylon	V	385	499	564	491	471		
China								
Mainland .....	...	426 031	*36 011	*40 652	*42 109	*45 827	...
Taiwan	XII	180	181	171	133	...	...
Cyprus	X	163	163	195	182			
India .....	...	1 65 155	5 557	...		56 628	...
Indonesia .....	...	5 941	5 557	...	*6 593	7 174	
Iran .....	...	1 8 250	...	...	...	...	...
Iraq .....	...	1 43 000	...	...	...	...	...
Israel	XII	*62	100	115	135	140	140	
Japan ¹⁹	1 II	437	492	531	533	631	669	
Jordan ²⁰ .....	...	317	348	545	...	...	...
Korea, South	21 XII	35	23	20	27	38		
Lebanon ²¹	31 XII	*435	*500	*500	*500	...	...
Malaya, Federation of	XII	203	271	289	272	268		
Pakistan .....	...	1 10 067	...	10 067	...		
Philippines .....	...	336	391	438	459	477	
Portuguese India .....	...		27	...	...	
Portuguese Timor .....	...	103	147	175	195	212	
Ryukyu Islands	III	86	110	82	*86	*92	*94	
Saudi Arabia .....	...	1 901	...	1	1	...	...
Singapore .....	...	1	1	1	1	...	...
Syria	31 XII	1 253	1 572	1 614	1 652	1 690		
Thailand .....	...	*21	...	28	36	...	...
Turkey	31 XI	18 517	21 045	20 963	21 079	16 217	16 486	
Viet-Nam .....	...	1 2	2	2	2	17	25
West New Guinea	XII					1	1	
Total		131 500	153 800	161 400	165 500	...	...
AFRICA								
Algeria	XI	2 685	3 254	3 231	3 352	...	...
Angola	XII	*420	440	447	458	...	...
Basutoland	II	*623	551	...	655	...	...
Bechuanaland .....	...	469	498	442	305	...	...
Belgian Congo	XII	*1 204	1 318	1 483	1 720	1 799	1 792	
British Somaliland .....	...	*1 397	...	...	...	...	...
Cape Verde Islands .....	...	418	31	45	...	...	...
Egypt .....	...	1 703	...	735	744	...	...
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of .....	...	1 136	1 110	1 300	1 400	1 400	...
Eritrea .....	...	...			...	...	...
Ethiopia .....	...	...				
French Cameroons .....	...	712	980	*780	*1 000	...	...
French Equatorial Africa ²²	1 I	*583	*637	*664	*666	*644	...	
French Somaliland	VIII	180	200	*455	*455	...	...
French Togoland	X-XII	*189	203	201	*221	252	...	
French West Africa .....	...	*7 448	*7 800	...	...	...	...
Gambia	III	1 65	...	80	82	85	...	
Ghana .....	...	436	428	...	...	...	...
Kenya	XII	*3 791	*3 867	*3 873	*3 886	3 896	...	
Liberia	VIII	435	...	...	...	...	...

For notes, see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

Table 9. - Goats (concluded)

Tableau 9. - Espèce caprine (fin)

Country Pays	Date of estimate	Oct. - Sept.						
		1947/48- 1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	
..... Thousand head - Milliers de tête								
AFRICA (concluded)								
Libya.....	...	...	...	709	691	650	...
Cyrenaica.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fezzan.....	...	1 ⁹⁸ 8	...	325	320	...	...
Tripolitania ¹⁴.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madagascar.....	XII	291	412	492	509	...	...
Comoro Islands.....	31 XII	...	...	85	90	...	...
Mauritius.....	IV	154	...	...	...	...	...
Morocco: Former French zone.....	I-III	7 628	9 795	9 542	9 000	...	...
Former Spanish zone.....	XII	980	105	152	...	...	...
Mozambique.....	XII	333	375	373	367	372	...	
Nigeria and Br. Cameroons.....	1 ⁹¹ 4 838	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portuguese Guinea.....	...	1 ⁷⁰ 0	...	...	...	...	...
Réunion.....	...	22	25	...	...	...	...
Rhodesia & Nyasaland, Fed. of :								
Southern Rhodesia.....	31 XII	574	581	442	423	395	374	
Northern Rhodesia.....	XII	119	1181	1105	1106	1132	...	
Nyasaland.....	VIII	281	294	11323	11326	355	...	
Ruanda-Urundi.....	XII	1 ² 256	1 266	1 267	1 378	1 465	1 573	
St. Helena.....	XII	1 ⁰ 2	...	2	2	*1	...	
São Tomé and Príncipe.....	31 XII	2	2	2	2	...	...
Seychelles.....	XII	1	...	...	...	...	...
Sierra Leone.....	...	23	22	22	21	25	25	
Somalia.....	...	1 ² 336	2 917	2 917	...	...	...
South West Africa.....	...	900	700	500	400	300	...	
Spanish Guinea.....	...	1 ⁴ 1	...	...	...	...	...
Spanish West Africa.....	...	1 ⁹ 4	154	144	...	...	...
Sudan.....	...	4 440	...	...	5 000	5 748	...
Swaziland.....	IX	131	154	151	132	...	...
Tanganyika.....	...	3 368	3 670	4 410	3 878	4 117	...	
Tunisia.....	...	1 719	1 716	1 853	1 427	...	...
Uganda.....	I	2 331	2 472	2 747	2 516	...	...
Union of South Africa.....	VIII	5 460	5 557	5 407	...	...	...
Zanzibar.....	...	16	...	...	...	...	...
Total		85 200	90 400	91 600	90 600	...	...
OCEANIA								
Cook and Tokelau Islands.....	X-XI	1 ⁰ 2	2	3	3	...	...
Fiji Islands.....	IX	23	24	...	...	...	...
French Oceania.....	...	1 ⁶	...	6	7	...	...
Guam ¹⁸	VI	1	3	3	...	...	...
New Caledonia.....	1	1 ³	19	21	...	...	...
New Guinea (Austr.) ¹⁹	31 III	1 ¹	2	2	2	2	...	
New Hebrides.....	XII	1 ⁰ 1	...	5	5	...	...
New Zealand.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pacific Islands (U.S. Tr.).....	VI-VII	1 ⁰ 3	4	...	...	...	...
Papua ²⁰	III	1 ²	2	2	2	2	...	
Tonga.....	VII	1 ⁰ 2	2	2	1	1	...	
Total		200	200	200	200	...	...
WORLD TOTAL Excl. U.S.S.R.		286 600 273 100	317 000 301 300	331 000 310 000	333 000 313 700	...	...

¹1950/51. — ²January. — ³1948/49. — ⁴Average of 2 years. — ⁵Average of 4 years. — ⁶From 1952, including East Berlin. — ⁷West Berlin. — ⁸1947/48. — ⁹December. — ¹⁰Average of 3 years. — ¹¹September. — ¹²On agricultural holdings. — ¹³Animals over one year old. — ¹⁴October. — ¹⁵August. — ¹⁶1951/52. — ¹⁷1949/50. — ¹⁸Angora goats clipped during the year. — ¹⁹Postwar data exclude animals on sugar plantations. — ²⁰Excluding Intendencias y Comisarías. — ²¹May. — ²²Standing estimate. — ²³Data submitted by the Ministry of Finance. — ²⁴Animals registered for taxation. — ²⁵Month unspecified. — ²⁶June.

¹1950/51. — ²Janvier. — ³1948/49. — ⁴Moyenne de 2 années. — ⁵Moyenne de 4 années. — ⁶Depuis 1952, y compris le secteur oriental de Berlin. — ⁷Secteur occidental de Berlin. — ⁸1947/48. — ⁹Décembre. — ¹⁰Moyenne de 3 années. — ¹¹Septembre. — ¹²Dans les exploitations agricoles. — ¹³Animaux de plus d'un an. — ¹⁴Octobre. — ¹⁵août. — ¹⁶1951/52. — ¹⁷1949/50. — ¹⁸Chèvres angora tondues pendant l'année. — ¹⁹Non compris les animaux dans les plantations de sucre. — ²⁰Non compris les animaux y Comisarías. — ²¹Mai. — ²²Estimation permanente. — ²³Données fournies par le Ministère des finances. — ²⁴Animaux soumis à l'impôt. — ²⁵Mois non spécifié. — ²⁶Juin.

Table 10. - Meat : Production, 1948-52, 1954, 1955, and 1956

Country — Pays	Total meat				Beef and veal		Pork		Mutton and lamb	
	1948-52	1954	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956	1955	1956
..... Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques										
EUROPE										
Austria	1226	286	288	306	111	122	171	178	6	6
Belgium	292	370	387	397	182	171	202	224	3	2
Denmark	457	696	725	705	212	223	512	481	1	1
Finland	109	135	137	133	68	69	64	60	5	4
France ^a	1 828	2 370	2 455	2 520	1 390	1 335	950	1 070	115	115
Germany, Western	1 348	1 936	2 089	2 091	739	738	1 330	1 334	24	19
Greece	*68	*86	*101	...	*13	...	*23	...	*65	...
Iceland	8	8	11	10	2	1	—	—	9	9
Ireland, Rep. of	1279	375	342	372	227	266	86	75	29	31
Italy	491	604	602	...	391	413	168	...	43	44
Luxembourg	16	19	20	20	8	8	12	12	—	—
Netherlands	284	426	490	461	212	185	272	270	2	6
Norway	92	106	122	116	55	48	50	53	17	15
Portugal ^a	93	102	99	...	40	...	43	...	16	...
Spain	380	421	413	423	139	124	186	206	88	93
Sweden	285	315	336	308	147	124	187	183	2	1
Switzerland	161	195	187	...	84	...	100	...	3	...
United Kingdom	1 001	1 621	1 520	1 602	678	786	667	621	175	195
Yugoslavia ^a	275	332	364	382	114	123	198	206	52	53
N. and CENT. AMERICA										
Canada	*930	1 020	1 071	1 105	593	624	463	466	15	15
Dominican Republic	22	20	21	...	14	...	7	...	—	—
Guatemala (Com.) ^a	36	39	41	35	35	29	6	...	—	—
Honduras	*21	...	19	...	16	...	3	...	—	—
Mexico (Com.)	211	317	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Puerto Rico ^a	15	16	17	18	9	10	8	8	—	—
United States	9 973	11 437	12 199	12 726	6 870	7 300	4 985	5 090	344	336
SOUTH AMERICA										
Argentina	*2 315	*2 186	*2 511	*2 920	*2 156	*2 545	156	190	185	199
Brazil	1 476	1 611	1 576	...	1 132	...	405	...	39	...
Chile (Com.) ^a	151	186	153	...	111	...	24	...	18	...
Colombia	*322	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Ecuador (Com.)	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Peru (Com.)	*94	103	118	...	60	...	27	...	31	...
Uruguay	*387	349	342	...	254	...	21	...	67	...
Venezuela (Com.)	84	93	101	105	82	85	18	19	1	1
AFRICA										
Algeria (Com.)	42	55	59	...	24	...	6	...	29	...
Egypt	167	195	*209	...	*174	...	...	...	35	...
French West Africa (Ins.)	*55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Kenya (Com.) ^a	14	17	17	...	13	...	3	...	1	...
Morocco (former French zone)	*114	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Rhodesia & Nyassaland, Fed. of	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southern Rhodesia (Ins.) ^a	43	57	56	52	49	45	6	6	1	1
South West Africa (Com.)	32	43	43	...	41	...	1	...	1	...
Swaziland	*15	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Tanganyika	*98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Tunisia	*29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Union of South Africa	373	385	352	393	223	262	40	44	89	87
OCEANIA										
Australia	1 024	1 215	1 254	1 195	760	753	99	92	395	350
New Zealand ^a	550	573	619	653	229	254	39	41	351	358

Com. : Commercial production ; Ins. : Inspected.

NOTE : Insofar as can be ascertained, the figures in this table refer to production of beef and veal (including buffalo meat), pork (including bacon and ham), and mutton and lamb (including goat meat) in terms of carcass weight, excluding lard, tallow, and edible offal. Except as otherwise specified, data refer to production from indigenous animals only, including, where applicable, the meat equivalent of exported live animals, and excluding the meat equivalent of imported live animals. Where no indication as to statistical coverage is shown after the name of the country or in the footnotes, data relate to total commercial and farm production.

^aAverage of 3 years. — *Including meat from imported live animals.^aExcluding the meat equivalent of exported live animals. — *1952. — *Average of 2 years. — *Production for 12-month periods ending 30 June of year indicated. — *1949-53. — *Excluding animals slaughtered in villages, including animals slaughtered on European farms. — *12-month periods ending 30 September of year shown.

Tableau 10. - VIANDE : Production, 1948-52, 1954, 1955 et 1956

Com. : Production commerciale ; Ins. : Soumise à l'inspection.

NOTE : Autant que permettent de l'affirmer les renseignements disponibles, les chiffres du présent tableau ont trait à la production de bœuf et de veau (y compris la viande de buffle), de porc (y compris le bacon et le jambon) et de mouton et d'agneau (y compris la viande de caprin), exprimée en poids carcasse, à l'exclusion du saindoux, du suif et des abats comestibles. Sauf indication contraire, les données se rapportent à la production de viande provenant d'animaux indigènes seulement, y compris, le cas échéant, l'équivalent en viande des animaux exportés sur pied, mais non compris l'équivalent en viande des animaux importés sur pied. Lorsqu'il n'y a pas de précisions sur la portée des statistiques à la suite du nom du pays ou en note, les chiffres se rapportent à la production totale commerciale et dans les exploitations.

^aMoyenne de 3 années. — *Y compris la viande des animaux importés sur pied. — *Non compris l'équivalent en viande des animaux exportés sur pied. — *1952. — *Moyenne de 2 années. — *Production pour périodes de 12 mois se terminant le 30 juin de l'année indiquée. — *1949-53. —^aNon compris les animaux abattus dans les villages, mais y compris les animaux abattus sur les exploitations d'Européens. — *Périodes de 12 mois se terminant le 30 septembre de l'année indiquée.

Table 11. - Wheat and wheat flour (wheat equivalent):
Trade by crop year (July-June), 1953/54 to 1956/57;
1955, 1956, and 1957

Tableau 11. - Froment et farine de froment (en équivalent de froment): Commerce par campagne agricole (juillet-juin), 1953/54 à 1956/57; 1955, 1956 et 1957

Country Pays	1953/ 54	1954/ 55	1955/ 56	1956/ 57	1955				1956				1957						
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	III	IV	V	VI	VII
Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques.																			
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																			
EUROPE																			
France	273	598	671	97	927	615	519	866	978	320	72	57	105	155	36	33	59	63	91
Germany, Western	17	12	92	86	6	36	63	53	52	199	101	73	68	96	20	21	40	35	39
Netherlands	25	15	20	3	24	8	8	26	29	18	3	4	3	2	1	1			
Sweden	111	62	27	67	70	56	35	1	39	35	7	66	51	146	11	61	38	47	4
Eastern Europe ¹	70	50	22	...	30	30	30	20	25	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	500	740	830	270	1 060	740	650	970	1 120	590	200	220	240	410	70	120	140	150	...
U.S.S.R. ²	175	175	95	225	150	200	80	80	130	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
N. and CENT. AMERICA																			
Canada	1 959	1 724	1 966	1 920	1 491	1 571	1 658	1 503	1 731	2 973	2 506	2 073	1 521	1 580	433	455	576	549	785
United States ³	a 1 494	1 868	2 329	3 644	2 311	1 771	1 909	1 399	2 480	3 528	3 218	3 443	3 979	3 938	1 345	1 379	1 002	1 547	878
b	...	19	...	...	—	—	—	—	50	27	29	48	99	...	53	65	48	...	...
Total	3 453	3 592	4 314	...	3 802	3 342	3 567	2 902	4 261	6 528	5 753	5 566	5 599	...	1 831	1 899	1 626	...	...
SOUTH AMERICA																			
Argentina	766	907	789	675	946	943	811	1 014	744	586	599	639	644	817	*310	*270	*280	*267	*195
Uruguay	30	124	121	*85	190	87	107	114	131	131	79	*140	83	39	10	19	5	15	2
Total	794	1 031	910	760	1 136	1 030	918	1 128	875	717	678	779	727	856	320	289	285	282	...
ASIA																			
Iraq	—	25	—	...	66	4	—	—	—	2	76	106	42	53	...	...	...	...	...
Syria	76	47	1	69	28	7	1	—	—	2	76	106	42	53	...	...	...	...	...
Turkey	218	101	66	...	13	59	17	70	117	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	...
Total	294	173	67	...	107	70	18	70	117	61	76	106	42	...	...	...	...	...	...
AFRICA																			
Algeria	—	6	17	—	5	18	34	18	16	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	...
Morocco (former French zone)	20	53	57	...	73	66	51	64	79	35	10	53	39	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tunisia ⁴	52	46	9	...	34	42	11	16	8	—	4	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	72	105	83	...	112	126	96	98	103	35	15	58	65	...	...	...	...	...	...
OCEANIA																			
Australia	489	641	721	878	761	640	566	579	690	938	971	972	964	607	380	240	165	202	135
WORLD TOTAL	5 800	6 500	7 050	8 050	7 150	6 200	5 950	5 900	7 300	9 050	7 950	7 950	6 250	8 150	2 850	2 770	2 390	2 990	...
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																			
EUROPE																			
Austria	38	58	73	54	77	50	117	89	44	42	90	31	50	44	20	16	17	11	17
Belgium-Luxembourg	187	171	119	126	123	155	115	93	91	178	146	151	116	91	35	30	23	38	...
Denmark	33	95	81	55	113	91	87	68	79	92	56	46	60	60	16	19	21	20	21
Finland	45	66	62	66	83	57	71	50	27	100	49	100	52	65	31	31	20	14	42
France	68	54	113	448	62	35	56	81	147	167	679	534	360	219	201	117	60	42	30
Germany, Western	597	721	639	803	436	620	778	603	468	706	895	902	807	607	240	203	231	173	204
Greece	37	79	75	100	36	218	33	39	125	102	35	116	20	228	5	132	70	26	98
Ireland, Rep. of	27	39	25	35	60	48	17	50	17	18	44	20	62	16	—	—	16	6	...
Italy	156	128	181	135	184	234	154	190	198	184	116	146	170	108	21	33	39	36	28
Netherlands	232	204	227	230	175	186	252	228	167	263	285	221	203	212	61	53	81	88	89
Norway	74	96	87	84	108	96	107	65	66	110	114	82	57	83	31	29	38	16	14
Portugal	22	19	24	47	12	4	3	64	8	23	89	47	18	33	12	5	25	3	1
Spain	227	72	21	...	4	—	24	18	21	22	13	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	...
Sweden	8	3	15	15	2	9	—	30	26	5	15	21	23	13	5	10	8	9	...
Switzerland	105	93	68	145	80	140	44	50	76	101	166	122	151	143	40	47	70	26	36
United Kingdom	979	1 285	1 313	1 252	1 402	1 240	1 276	1 131	1 297	1 550	1 298	1 235	1 320	1 156	460	373	444	339	393
Yugoslavia	139	282	269	346	384	268	290	33	312	440	265	310	252	558	...	...	...	...	...
Total	2 974	3 465	3 392	3 947	3 339	3 457	3 424	2 867	3 169	4 103	4 340	4 078	3 721	3 650	1 280	1 280	1 350	1 020	...

For notes, see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

TRADE - COMMERCE - COMERCIO

Table 11. - Wheat and wheat flour (wheat equivalent):
Trade by crop year (July-June), 1953/54 to 1956/57;
1955, 1956, and 1957 (concluded)

Country — Pays	1953/ 54	1954/ 55	1955/ 56	1956/ 57	1955				1956				1957						
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	III	IV	V	VI	VIII
IMPORTING COUNTRIES (concl.)																			
N. and CENT. AMERICA																			
British West Indies	50	58	44	52	44	58	44	43	44	67	44	48	44	56	44	53	44	59	44
Cuba	*45	51	44	47	44	54	39	44	66	44	29	44	48	44	52	44	59	44	47
Mexico	41	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	4	44	41	—	—	—	—	—	—
United States	60	30	67	53	11	67	97	30	56	68	114	25	59	63	20	15	13	36	16
Others	74	72	44	76	44	74	44	97	44	122	44	42	44	69	44	64	44	81	44
Total	270	210	260	240	170	300	230	210	270	340	200	250	270	250	110	70	80	100	—
SOUTH AMERICA																			
Bolivia	25	26	44	23	44	26	44	25	44	33	44	10	44	41	44	32	44	31	44
Brazil	408	403	425	426	400	294	614	547	246	293	418	540	210	44	44	32	44	21	44
Chile	37	70	44	36	44	78	44	68	44	26	44	37	44	14	44	9	44	158	44
Peru	68	65	83	—	—	56	60	97	93	57	87	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Venezuela	48	54	60	65	61	64	70	44	59	54	54	61	92	56	50	17	31	4	15
Others	66	65	44	57	44	55	44	48	44	80	44	60	44	42	44	40	44	13	44
Total	650	680	680	650	660	560	890	830	460	560	799	850	400	550	120	180	170	200	—
ASIA																			
Ceylon	91	76	68	63	78	101	50	76	59	86	20	92	67	73	49	25	26	22	15
China : Taiwan	*75	*61	41	*52	26	83	44	24	40	56	44	*54	*33	*77	*14	*19	*21	*37	*6
Hong Kong	24	19	20	24	20	27	11	24	24	21	24	24	25	24	7	8	6	9	8
India	171	137	69	500	191	207	7	80	152	378	481	548	593	209	182	210	201	324	—
Indonesia	55	33	58	64	39	36	40	51	62	79	47	87	85	61	20	18	21	22	17
Israel	80	97	78	—	77	109	51	79	73	111	82	68	78	—	21	*20	*15	—	—
Japan	592	490	568	*588	479	516	829	509	428	504	753	656	348	*595	101	*175	*230	*190	*200
Korea, South	*40	18	41	31	44	106	44	18	44	24	119	44	51	44	95	44	145	44	41
Lebanon	43	47	49	—	30	63	16	107	33	41	56	58	—	—	19	—	—	—	—
Malaya-Singapore	46	58	56	51	71	55	38	44	56	86	51	41	61	52	17	20	15	13	—
Pakistan	193	2	10	195	—	—	—	20	21	*150	*175	176	*150	—	—	—	—	—	—
Philippines	*63	84	44	70	44	84	44	107	44	46	40	82	44	69	85	81	100	71	44
Turkey	—	42	23	—	76	109	60	27	26	11	30	106	38	76	84	9	55	29	—
Total	1 470	1 160	1 140	2 000	1 230	1 380	1 220	1 050	1 000	1 310	1 990	2 100	1 800	2 100	670	690	740	670	—
AFRICA																			
Algeria	26	5	12	13	2	3	2	—	—	46	10	17	—	24	—	10	14	—	—
Belgian Congo	8	9	10	12	7	10	9	10	10	11	12	12	13	4	4	5	4	—	—
Egypt	55	15	78	—	6	8	—	176	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
French West Africa	19	27	26	—	31	25	27	27	20	31	36	34	40	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sudan	15	20	12	17	11	39	23	5	9	11	24	16	21	6	18	—	1	5	9
Tunisia	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	18	31	41	10	48	49	—	—	—	—	—	—
Union of South Africa	86	48	49	78	23	80	93	11	21	72	59	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	210	120	209	300	74	163	162	71	267	510	300	300	300	100	100	100	100	100	—
OCEANIA																			
New Zealand	47	55	59	—	63	48	55	65	63	55	82	64	82	—	*24	24	24	—	—
WORLD TOTAL	5 850	6 200	6 550	7 600	6 150	6 500	6 550	5 650	6 150	7 950	8 150	8 100	6 850	7 300	2 510	2 470	2 570	2 260	—

NOTE : Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in wheat and wheat flour. The countries shown accounted for about 98% of world exports and 93% of world imports in 1954. The following extraction rates have been used in converting flour to wheat equivalent: Argentina and Australia, 72%; Canada, 72.6%; United States, 71.5%; for the other exporting countries and for all importing countries, 72%.

* Estimated from data supplied by trading partners.

^a a) Commercial and government exports. b) Exports for relief or charity by individuals and private agencies; these exports are excluded from 1953/54 and 1954/55 world totals. — ^bData by quarter exclude small amounts of wheat flour.

Tableau 11. - Froment et farine de froment (en équivalent de froment) : Commerce par campagne agricole (juillet-juin), 1953/54 à 1956/57; 1955, 1956 et 1957 (fin)

Country — Pays	1953/ 54	1954/ 55	1955/ 56	1956/ 57	1955				1956				1957						
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	III	IV	V	VI	VIII
IMPORTING COUNTRIES (concl.)																			
N. and CENT. AMERICA																			
British West Indies	50	58	44	52	44	58	44	43	44	67	44	48	44	56	44	59	44	54	44
Cuba	*45	51	44	47	44	54	39	44	66	44	29	44	48	44	52	44	47	44	42
Mexico	41	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	6	4	44	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United States	60	30	67	53	11	67	97	30	56	68	114	25	59	63	20	15	13	36	16
Others	74	72	44	72	44	74	44	97	44	122	44	42	44	69	44	64	44	81	44
Total	270	210	260	240	170	300	230	210	270	340	200	250	270	250	110	70	80	100	—
SOUTH AMERICA																			
Bolivia	25	26	44	23	44	26	44	33	44	10	44	41	44	32	44	31	44	30	44
Brazil	408	403	425	426	400	294	614	547	246	293	418	540	210	44	44	32	44	21	44
Chile	37	70	44	36	44	68	44	37	44	85	44	14	44	73	44	70	44	74	44
Peru	68	65	83	—	—	56	60	97	93	57	87	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Venezuela	48	54	60	65	61	64	70	44	59	54	54	61	92	56	50	17	31	4	15
Others	66	65	44	57	44	55	44	48	44	80	44	60	44	42	44	40	44	13	44
Total	650	680	680	650	660	560	890	830	460	560	799	850	400	550	120	180	170	200	—
ASIA																			
Ceylon	91	76	68	63	78	101	50	76	59	86	20	92	67	73	49	25	26	22	15
China : Taiwan	*75	*61	41	*52	26	83	44	24	40	56	44	*54	*33	*77	*14	*19	*21	*37	*6
Hong Kong	24	19	20	24	20	27	11	24	24	21	24	24	25	24	7	8	6	9	8
India	171	137	69	500	191	207	7	80	152	378	481	548	593	209	182	210	201	324	—
Indonesia	55	33	58	64	39	36	40	51	62	79	47	87	85	61	20	18	21	22	17
Israel																			

Table 12. - Rice (milled rice equivalent):
Trade, 1953-57Tableau 12. - Riz (en équivalent de riz usiné):
Commerce, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957							
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	III	IV	V	VI	VII	
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																				
EUROPE																				
Italy	61	49	42	87	43	37	32	57	114	86	67	82	39	27	8	8	6	13	22	
Spain	14	15	12	23	1	3	5	40	38	12	17	25	24	...	5	2	...	...	...
Total	75	64	54	110	44	40	37	97	152	98	84	107	63	...	13	10	...	...	...
N. and CENT. AMERICA																				
United States	a	174	139	129	204	81	125	150	160	91	102	274	351	283	192	151	112	47	33	50
b .....	...	...	—	28	—	—	—	—	—	34	32	44	24	...	6	1	...	...	...
Total	a	174	139	129	232	81	125	150	160	91	136	306	395	307	...	157	113	47
SOUTH AMERICA																				
Brazil	1	—	—	25	—	—	—	2	20	50	20	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
British Guiana	10	9	14	*10	11	15	14	15	9	*12	*6	*14	*13	*12	*7	*3	*4	*5	...	
Ecuador	8	5	5	3	2	4	11	4	4	3	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	19	14	19	38	13	19	25	21	33	63	29	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ASIA																				
Burma	242	365	409	464	411	508	275	442	462	437	509	449	486	530	243	189	225	116	145	
Cambodia	—	6	15	14	6	5	—	2	36	—	22	64	*160	25	...	...	...	...	...
Laos	49	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Viet-Nam	20	1	38	31	12	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
China																				
Mainland	67	73	73	105	96	56	38	102	106	56	90	170	51	66	20	7	32	27	21	
Taiwan	15	9	42	*27	61	9	43	57	17	38	—	*55	*20	20	*4	...	...	...	...
India	—	—	25	10	18	38	23	21	30	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Iran	12	15	11	2	20	11	10	4	4	1	—	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malaya-Singapore	11	12	14	18	9	8	15	24	18	14	19	22	30	23	10	11	7	5	14	
Pakistan	22	35	62	15	33	68	67	78	58	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Thailand	335	255	307	310	321	389	286	232	285	313	280	361	441	428	141	157	133	138	142	
Total	753	853	969	967	1 021	1 124	774	960	982	909	899	1 085	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
AFRICA																				
Egypt	—	12	46	55	34	31	47	71	61	86	34	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madagascar	10	3	11	9	3	9	19	14	16	5	6	9	6	4	2	2	1	1	1	
Total	10	15	57	64	37	40	66	85	77	91	40	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
OCEANIA																				
Australia	8	8	9	7	9	6	13	9	6	7	7	5	4	5	1	2	1	2	3	
WORLD TOTAL																				
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																				
EUROPE																				
Austria	6	6	9	9	10	7	10	8	7	8	5	18	6	5	*2	*2	*1	*2	...	
Belgium-Luxembourg	7	9	13	21	14	9	17	13	17	17	25	24	20	17	6	5	6	6	...	
France	8	15	18	18	21	24	20	8	10	20	28	13	23	30	10	8	10	12	14	
Germany, Western	21	18	25	26	24	21	37	16	28	25	29	24	28	24	11	7	11	6	5	
Netherlands	10	19	30	18	57	38	11	13	22	18	19	12	19	16	9	2	8	6	4	
Switzerland	6	5	8	3	6	3	7	4	5	6	17	9	4	2	1	1	2	1	3	
United Kingdom	13	17	27	21	26	35	26	22	21	23	22	19	23	25	7	9	9	7	3	
Total	71	89	127	121	155	140	124	87	109	116	134	127	128	121	47	34	46	41	...	
N. and CENT. AMERICA																				
Canada	7	8	8	10	8	5	6	12	5	10	12	14	7	9	4	4	3	4	2	
Cuba	64	*61	29	35	42	41	41	42	49	45	36	42	47	49	43	41	43	40	42	
Other	20	18	45	45	41	41	42	42	42	43	45	45	43	45	41	43	40	41	41	
Total	91	67	39	50	35	16	43	63	43	35	48	76	59	45	19	19	16	10	...	
SOUTH AMERICA, Total																				
7	9	43	44	44	48	43	43	43	43	42	41	48	42	4	4	4	4	4	4	

For notes see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

Table 12. - Rice (milled rice equivalent):
Trade, 1953-57 (concluded)

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957						
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XI	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	III	IV	V	VI	VII
	. Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																		
IMPORTING COUNTRIES (concl.)																			
ASIA																			
British Borneo	9	8	12	15	11	10	10	15	13	13	16	20	18	*13	*4	*2	*5	*6	
Ceylon	103	101	96	123	73	120	92	100	86	85	138	182	113	143	58	21	66	56	
Hong Kong	78	27	66	71	68	71	68	57	78	84	66	55	95	60	36	25	14	21	
India	48	164	72	81	217	69	—	—	—	84	241	223	299	96	139	116	44	76	
Indonesia	89	65	32	191	4	3	21	99	237	178	108	240	86	172	32	46	28	98	
Japan	270	358	311	190	192	474	280	300	245	309	86	120	50	*230	27	107	*68	*55	
Korea	68	*10	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	*45	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lebanon	1	3	3	4	5	—	3	3	4	5	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Malaya-Singapore	137	80	137	148	120	110	155	163	155	132	132	171	160	100	39	29	38	33	
Pakistan	—	—	—	110	—	—	—	—	*5	*45	*135	*255	56	—	*20	*27	—	—	
Philippines	—	11	16	10	—	6	28	29	*10	*10	*12	*10	*10	—	—	—	—	—	
Ryukyu	8	9	13	*8	*13	*13	*13	*13	*8	*8	*8	*8	*8	*27	—	—	—	—	
Syria	1	2	5	5	7	3	5	3	6	7	3	3	11	3	—	—	—	—	
Total	812	838	763	956	702	879	675	772	847	876	791	1 309	—	—	—	—	—	—	
AFRICA																			
French West Africa	18	17	28	24	33	30	21	28	19	17	40	21	28	—	—	—	—	—	
Mauritius	15	9	14	11	19	16	18	7	21	9	7	8	16	—	—	—	—	—	
Réunion	7	4	8	8	12	1	10	9	8	12	5	9	7	12	5	4	6	2	
Union of South Africa	—	6	8	8	3	7	12	7	5	3	9	15	15	19	11	19	—	—	
Total	40	36	58	51	67	52	61	51	53	41	61	53	66	—	—	—	—	—	
WORLD TOTAL	1 100	1 100	1 200	1 400	1 150	1 300	1 100	1 150	1 200	1 250	1 250	1 900	—	—	—	—	—	—	

NOTE : Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries where data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in rice. The countries shown accounted for about 95% of world exports and 93% of world imports in 1954. Paddy is expressed in terms of milled rice at the conventional rate of 65%.

■ Estimated from data supplied by trading partners.

* a) Commercial and government exports. b) Exports for relief or charity by individuals and private agencies; these exports are excluded from 1953 and 1954 world totals.

Tableau 12. - Riz (en équivalent de riz usiné):
Commerce, 1953-57 (fin)

NOTE : Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données font défaut; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial du riz. Pour 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 95% des exportations et 93% des importations mondiales. Le paddy est exprimé en équivalent de riz usiné au taux de conversion conventionnel de 65%.

■ Estimé d'après les données fournies par les partenaires commerciaux.

* a) Exportations commerciales et du gouvernement. b) Exportations à titre de secours ou de dons par des particuliers ou des organisations privées. Ces exportations sont exclues des totaux mondiaux en 1953 et 1954.

Table 13. - Sugar : Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Tableau 13. - Sucre : Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957					
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI				
Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																		
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																		
EUROPE																		
Western																		
Belgium-Luxembourg	551	20.1	22.9	30.6	17.4	27.4	16.8	29.9	15.6	46.3	27.6	33.0	11.9	16.8				
Denmark	1.4	17.4	2.1	7.3	2.7	5.4	0.1	0.1	4.7	7.8	16.6	30.4	10.7					
France	74.8	141.0	184.4	167.0	252.3	201.3	95.2	188.7	197.4	206.7	137.5	126.6	138.3	118.4				
Netherlands	43.5	16.5	56.2	11.4	19.6	42.7	44.3	118.2	8.8	11.4	11.9	13.4	6.6	3.7				
Spain ¹	31.7	12.6	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	0.3	—				
United Kingdom	168.2	178.5	183.4	148.2	183.1	176.1	200.0	174.4	115.1	119.8	156.2	201.9	139.9	200.6				
Total.	374.7	386.1	449.0	364.6	475.1	452.9	356.4	511.3	337.0	388.9	341.0	392.0	327.4	351.0				
*8																		
Eastern ²																		
Czechoslovakia	22.5	42.2	30.8	21.4	7.0	16.2	8.1	92.1	19.1	21.3	22.9	22.4	4.9	1.8				
Hungary	3.7	6.7	10.2	2.8	*10.2	*10.3	*10.2	*10.3	*2.8	*2.8	*2.8	*2.9	—	—				
Poland	26.2	60.6	21.4	5.8	10.3	0.3	0.6	74.6	4.5	15.9	*1.4	*1.3	0.1	0.2				
Total.	52.4	109.5	62.4	30.0	27.5	26.8	18.9	177.0	26.4	40.0	27.1	26.6	5.0	2.0				
Europe, Total	427.1	495.6	511.4	394.7	502.6	479.7	375.3	688.3	363.4	428.9	368.1	418.6	332.4	353.0				
U.S.S.R. ¹	37.5	50.4	53.9	41.7	50.5	51.8	33.0	80.2	29.1	51.0	22.3	64.3	50.0	38.8				
N. and CENT. AMERICA																		
Barbados ⁴	38.4	41.6	39.8	35.7	18.9	89.1	39.6	*11.5	30.8	56.9	42.6	12.7	28.8	95.0				
Cuba	1 347.6	1 037.2	1 153.1	1 334.1	*1 273.1	*1 296.1	*1 014.8	*1 028.6	1 388.2	*1 445.9	*1 662.5	840.9	*1 367.2	*1 875.7				
Dominican Republic	139.6	127.0	143.6	177.3	98.1	203.0	229.1	44.4	174.1	202.1	164.1	169.1	228.3	*253.3				
Guadeloupe	21.0	25.7	31.4	30.8	42.7	43.7	30.3	9.0	4.6	54.3	48.3	16.1	25.6	60.4				
Haiti	7.2	3.8	5.3	7.0	3.2	6.1	7.1	4.9	9.2	10.5	*8.2	—	*7.8	*5.1				
Jamaica	69.8	81.6	73.5	94.7	68.8	142.7	66.6	16.0	110.0	154.7	60.5	53.6	41.3	183.0				
Martinique	11.3	15.5	19.4	18.0	14.6	30.9	*16.0	*16.1	14.6	30.1	25.3	2.1	5.6	49.6				
Mexico	14.6	18.8	19.8	8.5	7.9	23.2	42.2	6.0	27.8	4.8	1.2	—	—	*28.8				
Trinidad and Tobago	32.9	38.1	43.0	37.5	46.9	93.4	26.2	5.6	42.6	95.8	11.6	0.1	76.0	*68.3				
Total.	1 682.4	1 389.3	1 528.9	1 743.9	1 574.2	1 928.2	1 471.9	1 142.1	1 801.9	2 055.1	2 024.3	1 094.6	1 807.6	2 619.2				
SOUTH AMERICA																		
Brazil	64.0	40.4	143.3	4.6	122.3	213.7	107.1	130.2	14.5	—	—	4.1	4.8	*38.0				
British Guiana	53.8	62.0	61.6	63.0	40.8	54.6	59.3	91.6	37.0	63.1	57.7	94.1	31.4	82.1				
Peru	102.1	105.5	120.7	107.1	106.2	70.5	147.5	158.8	109.6	73.7	118.1	*126.9	—	—				
Total.	219.9	207.9	325.6	174.7	269.3	338.8	313.9	380.6	161.1	136.8	175.8	225.1	—	—				
ASIA																		
China																		
Taiwan	218.7	130.7	146.6	183.2	118.9	205.8	167.8	93.5	227.9	148.4	98.9	*257.6	*327.8	*218.2				
Indonesia	24.7	53.4	44.9	43.3	9.3	11.5	24.2	134.7	54.4	6.1	52.4	60.2	11.1	7.7				
Philippines	196.4	232.2	229.1	234.1	263.9	351.9	108.5	192.3	*295.7	*295.5	*146.1	*199.3	*278.5	—				
Total.	439.8	416.3	420.6	460.6	392.1	569.2	300.5	420.5	578.0	450.0	297.4	517.1	617.4	—				
AFRICA																		
Angola	5.9	8.5	7.6	7.9	4.9	5.2	8.2	12.2	2.8	6.6	1.2	21.2	3.8	10.7				
Mauritius	120.5	125.6	118.8	134.8	88.3	—	160.9	226.2	119.1	4.7	134.1	*281.4	120.9	10.7				
Mozambique	17.1	13.1	21.3	24.5	7.2	17.1	30.3	30.7	17.0	12.8	36.4	32.0	—	—				
Réunion	37.4	42.3	41.0	43.9	47.3	23.1	15.5	78.2	23.4	41.9	28.4	82.1	65.1	6.4				
Union of South Africa	24.8	52.6	60.5	45.5	6.8	55.6	94.1	85.5	26.8	15.6	76.8	62.9	8.5	*3.8				
Total.	205.7	242.1	249.2	256.6	154.5	101.0	309.0	432.8	189.1	81.6	276.9	479.6	215.0	50.0				
OCEANIA																		
Australia	184.5	166.9	161.1	186.4	183.1	111.4	169.2	176.8	108.0	147.5	193.5	296.6	232.4	71.7				
Fiji	45.2	33.8	39.7	31.9	17.3	0.5	74.9	65.9	12.4	0.6	53.8	60.8	0.7	*9.3				
Total.	229.7	200.7	200.8	218.9	200.4	111.9	244.1	242.7	120.4	148.1	247.3	357.4	233.1	81.0				
WORLD TOTAL³	3 360	3 090	3 375	3 375	3 200	3 650	3 150	3 500	3 300	3 450	3 500	3 250	3 450	...				

For notes, see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

Table 13. - Sugar : Trade by quarters, 1953-57 (concluded)

Tableau 13. - Sucre : Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57 (fin)

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957					
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI				
Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																		
.....																		
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																		
EUROPE																		
Western																		
Austria	25.6	5.4	0.5	14.6	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.1	9.6	2.7	35.1	11.0	26.5	—				
Belgium-Luxembourg	20.0	12.1	8.7	11.2	2.5	13.5	12.5	6.2	10.4	26.8	6.4	1.3	0.5	42.4				
Finland	30.8	25.6	38.5	35.2	30.5	42.3	46.7	34.4	22.2	46.5	37.7	34.3	25.9	37.7				
France	101.5	83.3	78.2	85.9	49.8	104.8	81.6	76.8	81.3	92.0	78.8	91.7	113.6	154.9				
Germany, Western	81.5	6.6	55.5	70.4	136.7	54.6	1.6	29.0	71.0	10.3	172.7	27.7	115.5	291.2				
Netherlands	60.0	41.0	71.5	55.7	50.8	71.6	101.6	61.9	43.2	50.4	73.8	55.5	75.9	82.7				
Norway	32.8	33.0	29.2	39.7	20.9	27.6	43.7	24.8	29.6	37.8	46.6	45.0	35.8	—				
Portugal	26.8	30.3	29.0	31.3	25.6	29.0	25.7	35.7	30.8	30.3	21.9	42.1	26.6	36.9				
Spain	3.6	3.5	7.3	5.1	11.4	5.1	5.6	7.0	2.6	3.4	10.2	4.2	—	—				
Switzerland ^a	41.3	42.6	40.2	52.2	26.1	49.4	47.8	37.4	32.3	52.1	57.1	67.5	63.4	52.1				
United Kingdom	772.1	614.5	567.8	597.7	545.6	650.5	515.5	559.7	639.5	666.6	449.1	623.6	727.0	788.1				
Total	1 195.3	897.9	926.4	996.0	900.3	1 048.6	882.6	874.0	972.5	1 018.9	989.2	1 003.9	1 210.7	1 504.0				
Eastern ¹																		
Czechoslovakia	2.5	1.1	10.9	—	0.4	25.0	18.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Hungary	—	—	15.1	8.5	*15.1	*15.1	*15.2	*15.2	*8.5	*8.5	*8.5	*8.6	—	—				
Total	2.5	1.1	26.0	8.5	15.5	40.1	33.5	15.2	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	—	—				
Europe, Total	1 197.8	899.0	952.4	1 004.5	915.8	1 088.7	916.1	889.2	981.0	1 027.4	997.7	1 012.5	1 220.0	1 510.0				
U.S.S.R. ²																		
10.0	16.2	155.1	53.6	—	392.9	227.5	—	79.6	132.4	2.3	—	18	315.2	—				
NORTH AMERICA																		
Canada ³	134.3	151.5	158.5	165.7	57.5	194.8	199.0	182.7	78.0	180.1	208.7	196.0	69.2	166.0				
United States ³	863.3	852.2	888.3	939.8	1 009.9	900.8	976.1	666.6	1 090.6	1 066.2	1 087.5	514.8	1 048.0	1 035.1				
Total	997.6	1 003.7	1 046.8	1 105.5	1 067.4	1 095.6	1 175.1	849.3	1 168.6	1 246.3	1 296.2	710.8	1 117.2	1 201.1				
SOUTH AMERICA																		
Chile	36.5	63.5	72.4	—	28.8	91.0	57.2	112.8	41.6	3.5	—	—	—	—				
ASIA																		
Ceylon	36.6	35.1	35.9	48.3	40.7	52.5	22.7	27.7	49.6	23.5	69.9	50.2	25.1	37.8				
Hong Kong	42.1	25.8	25.1	30.4	37.0	18.2	22.8	22.3	34.4	23.3	32.0	32.1	46.4	14.4				
India	36.5	207.2	114.3	5.2	228.7	111.6	36.6	80.2	16.4	—	4.3	—	15.1	—				
Iran	39.4	52.9	52.2	70.0	70.3	38.1	51.3	49.0	83.2	*68.2	52.3	76.3	90.7	—				
Iraq	25.3	30.0	30.8	35.3	28.4	34.1	29.9	31.0	37.7	32.5	32.8	38.4	—	—				
Japan	273.6	253.5	267.6	300.5	286.3	220.6	251.1	312.3	384.1	233.9	284.2	300.0	318.9	*270.4				
Lebanon	5.4	7.2	6.5	8.2	5.4	6.6	8.1	6.1	10.8	5.4	6.0	10.5	*5.9	—				
Malaya-Singapore	39.6	41.8	51.4	60.9	56.3	61.2	43.0	45.0	54.5	70.6	61.6	56.9	62.2	54.0				
Pakistan	10.1	23.1	19.5	20.8	—	19.3	28.5	30.5	29.2	8.6	8.7	36.8	11.8	*18.4				
Total	508.6	676.6	603.3	579.6	753.1	562.2	494.0	604.1	699.9	466.0	551.8	601.2	605.0	—				
AFRICA																		
Algeria	33.1	33.6	40.1	41.8	35.7	36.9	26.2	61.6	34.3	42.9	45.4	44.8	49.0	45.9				
French West Africa ⁴	14.1	16.9	16.6	19.7	20.5	14.5	15.0	16.5	20.4	19.4	*20.0	*19.0	*25.0	*30.0				
Morocco (former French zone)	68.3	71.2	86.0	78.1	112.2	61.7	88.4	81.7	72.7	72.6	84.6	82.5	95.1	92.5				
Tunisia	13.0	15.0	16.1	17.7	16.4	13.9	18.6	15.5	20.7	18.0	19.0	13.3	21.1	—				
Total	128.5	136.7	158.8	157.3	184.8	127.0	148.2	175.3	148.1	152.9	169.0	159.6	190.2	—				
OCEANIA																		
New Zealand	21.3	28.0	26.9	24.0	22.8	23.9	35.6	25.5	10.1	38.4	20.8	26.8	20.7	—				
WORLD TOTAL⁵	3 240	3 100	3 250	3 250	3 200	3 650	3 300	2 850	3 450	3 350	3 400	2 800	3 500	—				

NOTE : Sugar includes solid beet and cane sugar, generally excluding low-grade sugars unless otherwise specified. Raw and refined sugars are added without conversion (tel quel). Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in sugar. The countries shown accounted for about 97% of world exports and 91% of world imports in 1954.

¹Through 1953, data derived from records of reporting countries; afterwards the source is the *Statistical Bulletin of the International Sugar Council*. The intertrade of Eastern European countries as well as their trade with the U.S.S.R. is excluded throughout. — ²Includes fancy molasses converted into sugar equivalent. — ³Excludes trade between the United States and territories. — ⁴Includes solid glucose, maltose, etc. — ⁵Includes fancy molasses, converted into sugar equivalent, imported from Barbados.

NOTE : On entend par sucre le sucre de betterave et le sucre de canne à l'état solide à l'exclusion des sucres grossiers, à moins d'indication contraire. Les quantités de sucre brut et de sucre raffiné ont été additionnées sans conversion (tel quel). Les totaux par continent comprennent seulement les pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données font défaut ; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial. Le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 97% des exportations mondiales et 91% des importations mondiales en 1954.

¹Jusqu'à fin 1953, les données proviennent des statistiques d'autres pays indiquant l'origine et la destination de leur commerce; ensuite, d'après le *Statistical Bulletin of the International Sugar Council*. Le commerce entre les pays de l'Europe orientale ainsi que leur commerce avec l'U.R.S.S. est exclu. — ²Y compris les molasses concentrées (fancy molasses) converties en équivalent de sucre. — ³Non compris le commerce entre les Etats-Unis et leurs territoires. — ⁴Y compris la glucose concrète, la maltose, etc. — ⁵Y compris les molasses concentrées, converties en équivalent de sucre, importées de la Barbade.

Table 14. - Oranges and tangerines :
Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957															
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI														
	Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																											
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Italy	39.4	49.7	43.5	60.3	95.0	25.5	0.1	53.5	140.6	40.7	—	59.9	148.7	34.4														
Spain	251.1	202.1	247.4	94.7	410.4	293.1	—	286.3	302.0	16.4	—	60.4	120.8	...														
Total.	290.5	251.8	290.9	155.0	505.4	318.6	0.1	339.8	442.6	57.1	—	120.3	269.5	...														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
United States	91.7	82.4	76.0	101.8	77.2	100.7	78.6	47.5	82.7	169.3	70.6	86.7	80.9	105.4														
SOUTH AMERICA																												
Brazil	6.2	7.9	11.5	10.7	1.8	8.0	19.4	16.8	—	24.0	13.3	5.7	0.9	...														
ASIA																												
Cyprus	1.2	1.3	5.8	8.4	*5.9	*5.8	—	11.6	8.8	7.0	—	17.7	10.4	3.5														
Israel	43.4	64.8	52.1	66.1	144.1	43.9	—	20.6	197.0	41.1	—	26.4	188.2	...														
Lebanon	6.1	9.1	8.3	10.3	14.6	3.6	—	15.2	20.3	5.2	—	15.7	...	...												
Total.	50.7	75.2	66.2	84.8	164.6	53.3	—	47.4	226.1	53.3	—	59.8	220.0	...														
AFRICA																												
Algeria ¹	42.9	56.8	66.5	45.9	131.9	43.7	0.5	89.8	107.4	21.5	—	54.8	134.0	72.0														
Morocco (former French zone) ²	36.7	24.2	41.7	37.2	67.6	39.0	16.1	44.0	58.3	51.4	—	39.0	97.6	62.4														
Tunisia ¹	3.2	7.6	4.8	*7.6	10.4	3.3	0.7	4.8	23.7	*1.4	—	*5.5	*16.7	...														
Union of South Africa ^{1,2}	39.7	49.3	49.9	*67.1	0.1	59.6	112.4	27.7	0.2	129.5	96.6	*42.2	*0.2	66.9														
Total.	122.5	137.9	162.9	157.8	210.0	145.6	129.7	166.3	165.9	203.8	96.6	141.5	248.5	...														
WORLD TOTAL	575	580	635	535	1 005	655	240	645	975	540	190	435	870	...														
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Austria	5.5	7.2	9.8	9.3	19.0	9.2	0.3	10.9	20.2	6.3	0.5	10.3	21.8	8.2														
Belgium-Luxembourg	28.5	25.8	28.4	24.1	41.1	31.5	14.3	26.6	34.5	26.4	14.8	20.9	30.3	28.7														
Denmark	7.6	8.3	7.3	7.0	11.1	7.0	3.0	8.0	12.8	6.4	3.0	5.8	8.0	6.3														
France	137.9	143.1	162.2	124.1	302.0	181.0	25.5	140.2	270.3	106.8	26.3	93.1	244.6	186.1														
Germany, Western	105.6	109.4	115.3	96.9	186.2	141.6	23.3	110.1	202.5	97.5	24.5	63.0	151.1	107.5														
Ireland, Rep. of	3.6	3.8	3.7	2.7	5.2	3.4	3.6	2.7	6.2	2.3	1.1	1.3	4.3	3.5														
Netherlands	23.6	27.6	30.5	27.4	43.2	38.9	17.1	22.7	39.0	33.2	18.7	18.9	42.3	39.9														
Norway	13.5	11.3	12.6	11.4	21.9	17.6	1.5	9.6	20.3	10.8	5.2	9.2	17.8	12.5														
Sweden	22.7	24.2	22.6	20.3	39.2	25.5	9.6	16.2	42.0	21.2	6.8	11.3	34.7	19.5														
Switzerland	14.6	14.9	15.3	13.8	25.5	15.1	2.3	18.5	28.2	11.7	2.2	13.3	24.7	13.5														
United Kingdom	106.4	95.9	95.3	84.2	131.6	89.1	76.0	84.7	146.5	71.9	57.4	60.9	126.8	92.1														
Total.	469.5	471.5	503.0	421.2	826.0	559.9	176.5	450.2	822.5	394.5	160.5	308.0	706.4	517.8														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
Canada	51.6	49.3	48.7	47.6	49.2	51.8	40.9	52.9	49.2	52.2	36.5	52.7	45.2	49.8														
SOUTH AMERICA																												
Argentina	2.7	4.9	6.7	2.5	4.1	1.0	4.9	16.8	4.0	0.1	—	6.0	0.2	0.1														
ASIA																												
Hong Kong	6.8	6.3	8.6	6.8	15.5	4.3	5.0	9.8	10.9	3.4	4.5	8.4	14.1	2.6														
Syria	4.9	6.0	5.4	6.7	11.1	2.3	—	8.1	17.0	3.1	0.6	6.3	17.4	4.4														
Total	11.7	12.3	14.0	13.5	26.6	6.6	5.0	17.9	27.9	6.5	5.1	14.7	31.5	7.0														
WORLD TOTAL	570	580	615	540	970	665	245	580	1 000	500	225	425	870	635														

NOTE : Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in oranges and tangerines. The countries shown accounted for about 97% of world exports and 93% of world imports in 1954.

¹All citrus fruit. Starting with 1956, oranges and tangerines only. — ²All citrus fruit. — *Since 1955, the customs territory includes South West Africa.

Tableau 14. - Oranges et mandarines :
Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

NOTE : Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données font défaut ; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial. Pour 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 97 % des exportations mondiales et 93 % des importations mondiales.

¹Tous les agrumes. A partir de 1956, oranges et mandarines seulement. — ²Tous les agrumes. — *Depuis 1955, le territoire douanier comprend le Sud-Ouest africain.

Table 15. - Lemons and limes :
Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957															
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI														
	Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																											
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Italy	42.9	47.1	44.9	45.5	49.7	55.8	27.2	47.0	47.9	51.4	21.0	61.9	73.9	72.4														
Spain	13.6	6.0	7.1	2.4	11.4	7.7	6.9	6.8	0.8	—	—	0.9	...	...												
Total	56.5	53.1	52.0	47.6	52.1	67.2	34.9	53.9	54.7	52.2	21.0	62.8	73.9	...														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
Mexico	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.3	1.2	0.6	0.3	...	...												
United States	5.4	8.8	14.9	16.9	11.7	20.3	19.7	7.9	18.7	28.3	10.5	10.1	8.0	16.7														
Total	6.7	9.4	15.3	17.5	11.9	21.0	20.3	8.1	19.0	29.5	11.1	10.4	8.5	17.5														
SOUTH AMERICA																												
Chile	1.2	0.5	0.1	...	—	—	0.3	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—														
ASIA																												
Cyprus	0.7	0.5	0.9	1.2	*0.5	*0.5	0.1	2.7	1.4	0.3	—	3.3	2.2	—														
Israel	0.1	1.7	2.1	2.0	5.7	0.2	—	2.4	4.5	0.1	—	3.4	3.9	...														
Lebanon	1.7	2.4	2.5	1.8	3.0	1.2	0.2	5.5	3.0	0.8	0.4	3.0	—	...														
Turkey	1.8	0.8	1.5	1.2	2.8	0.1	—	3.0	2.7	—	—	2.0	1.3	0.1														
Total	6.5	5.4	7.0	6.2	12.0	2.0	0.3	13.6	11.6	1.2	0.4	11.7	10.0	...														
WORLD TOTAL																												
	75	75	80	75	80	100	60	80	95	90	35	90	105	...														
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Austria	2.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	4.1	3.9	2.4	3.1	4.1	4.0	2.2	3.8	4.3	4.9														
Belgium-Luxembourg	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	3.0	2.5	2.1	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.0	2.6	2.9	3.0														
Denmark	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	0.7	1.1	1.3	1.2														
France	11.6	11.4	12.8	11.6	12.2	15.6	12.3	11.1	11.3	16.4	7.4	11.2	13.0	13.3														
Germany, Western	19.2	21.1	20.8	21.3	21.6	24.6	21.3	15.6	21.0	27.5	17.0	19.8	24.2	33.4														
Netherlands	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.3	2.3	1.7														
Sweden	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.1														
Switzerland	3.3	3.5	3.2	5.4	3.4	4.2	2.5	2.8	3.9	3.5	2.1	12.2	...	...												
United Kingdom	7.4	7.3	8.2	7.0	10.1	7.6	7.7	7.5	9.7	6.5	4.8	7.0	9.5	7.3														
Total	49.7	53.0	54.7	54.7	58.6	62.2	51.5	46.6	56.8	64.5	37.9	59.9	62.0	70.0														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
Canada	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.5	3.1	4.0	4.8	3.2	3.5	3.9	3.5	3.1	3.5	3.7														
United States	1.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.5														
Total	5.1	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.3	4.6	5.3	3.3	3.7	4.7	4.1	3.2	3.7	4.2														
WORLD TOTAL																												
	65	70	75	75	80	85	70	65	80	90	55	85	85	100														

NOTE : Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade. The countries shown accounted for about 91% of world exports and 81% of world imports in 1954.

NOTE : Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données sont absentes ; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial. Pour 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 91% des exportations mondiales et 81% des importations mondiales.

Table 19. - Tobacco : Trade by quarters, 1953-57

NOTE : Figures refer to the trade of tobacco leaves and stems, including stalks, shorts, scraps, trimmings, and dust, but exclude processed tobacco. Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in tobacco. The countries shown accounted for about 95% of world exports and 90% of world imports in 1954.

¹Since 1955, the customs territory includes South West Africa.

Tableau 19. - Tabac : Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

NOTE : Les chiffres traitent au commerce des feuilles et des tiges de tabac, y compris les nervures, les feuilles naines, les déchets, les rognures et la poudre, mais non compris le tabac manufacturé. Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données sont absentes ; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial du tabac. Pour 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 95% des exportations mondiales et 90% des importations mondiales.

¹Depuis 1955, le territoire douanier comprend le Sud-Ouest africain.

Table 16. - Coffee : Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Tableau 16. - Café : Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957		
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I - I	IV-VI	
EXPORTING COUNTRIES														Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques	
N. and CENT. AMERICA															
Costa Rica	7.0	5.9	7.1	5.9	10.6	10.3	2.8	4.7	10.4	2.3	*3.7	*7.2	*9.1	*9.1	
Dominican Republic	5.0	5.8	6.1	6.6	5.7	3.9	1.5	13.3	11.7	5.1	2.3	7.3	4.2	4.2	
El Salvador	16.5	15.5	17.9	16.0	31.7	25.8	3.1	11.2	30.3	20.2	2.4	11.3	*30.9	*24.3	
Guatemala	14.1	13.0	14.5	15.5	19.2	18.4	7.2	14.1	25.0	9.5	5.4	21.5	22.1	11.1	
Haiti	5.6	6.8	5.3	6.2	7.6	4.2	1.1	8.3	12.6	7.4	2.8	2.1	*12.7	*12.6	
Mexico	18.3	17.2	20.9	18.5	31.2	31.5	9.2	11.8	33.1	21.6	8.2	11.1	*32.0	*28.6	
Nicaragua	4.7	4.3	5.7	4.1	7.4	7.0	6.6	1.8	6.1	6.6	2.4	1.4	9.3	*9.3	
Total	71.2	68.5	77.5	72.8	113.4	101.1	31.5	65.2	129.2	72.7	27.2	61.9	120.3	100.0	
SOUTH AMERICA															
Brazil	233.4	163.8	205.4	252.1	132.7	178.7	238.8	271.5	262.2	245.7	244.4	256.0	237.2	*156.8	
Colombia	99.5	86.3	88.0	82.0	70.3	75.4	94.0	112.4	87.0	81.8	95.5	63.9	69.3	51.2	
Ecuador	4.5	5.3	5.7	6.1	4.6	2.1	10.3	6.0	2.2	0.8	11.4	10.0	...	...
Venezuela	11.1	6.5	9.4	5.8	9.8	9.8	6.6	11.6	7.6	6.4	4.4	4.9	9.6	7.2	
Total	348.5	261.9	308.5	346.0	217.4	266.0	349.7	401.5	359.0	334.7	355.7	334.8	320.0	220.0	
ASIA															
Indonesia	8.0	9.3	5.8	14.3	2.1	2.5	12.0	6.5	10.5	11.3	18.8	16.8	8.3	20.5	
Malaya-Singapore	0.9	4.3	2.5	7.3	1.8	2.2	2.8	3.2	4.2	7.5	8.8	8.7	7.2	7.4	
Total	8.9	13.6	8.3	21.6	3.9	4.7	14.8	9.7	14.7	18.8	27.6	25.5	15.5	27.9	
AFRICA															
Angola	17.9	11.0	14.5	21.0	13.4	6.5	12.5	25.5	22.5	13.0	9.0	39.5	21.5	11.8	
Belgian Congo	8.4	8.5	10.8	12.7	8.6	5.4	20.7	8.4	8.7	11.5	19.5	11.3	10.7	15.7	
Ethiopia and Eritrea, Fed. of	10.8	7.8	10.4	7.7	8.8	16.1	11.1	5.7	9.3	8.7	9.3	3.7	19.1	...	
French Cameroons	2.4	2.8	3.5	4.4	4.0	5.7	2.7	1.6	6.6	6.7	2.8	1.7	6.9	5.5	
French West Africa	14.1	23.7	23.8	32.7	28.4	32.2	19.3	15.2	43.0	28.3	30.1	29.6	32.4	*40.6	
Kenya	3.7	2.7	4.9	6.7	5.4	5.5	1.4	7.3	12.2	5.1	1.7	8.0	7.4	3.2	
Madagascar	9.0	10.4	11.9	13.1	6.2	4.8	10.5	26.2	10.2	6.5	13.1	22.8	10.1	4.0	
Tanganyika	3.9	4.9	4.7	5.5	5.8	4.1	2.7	6.2	7.3	3.9	3.8	7.0	5.9	2.0	
Uganda	9.1	8.8	18.9	15.7	23.1	21.0	19.7	11.8	21.2	15.9	12.2	13.4	23.8	22.1	
Total	79.3	80.6	103.4	119.5	103.7	101.3	100.6	107.9	141.0	99.6	101.5	137.0	137.8	115.0	
WORLD TOTAL		525	450	515	580	455	495	515	605	665	545	530	580	615	480
IMPORTING COUNTRIES															
EUROPE															
Belgium-Luxembourg	13.2	10.7	11.7	15.2	11.9	9.8	12.6	12.7	15.6	15.0	12.7	17.6	15.1	12.9	
Denmark	6.4	6.1	7.0	7.8	6.5	6.0	7.5	8.1	7.8	8.1	7.5	8.0	8.4	7.2	
Finland	5.7	7.0	7.4	8.1	5.5	7.7	7.9	8.7	6.5	7.9	8.5	9.7	6.9	7.3	
France	40.9	42.2	44.8	45.6	45.4	52.0	37.2	44.5	45.6	44.5	43.5	48.7	45.9	43.5	
Germany, Western	19.6	25.8	29.9	33.7	25.0	28.6	29.1	37.1	27.5	33.4	33.6	40.5	33.3	38.2	
Italy	16.7	17.4	18.1	18.9	17.5	18.0	18.0	18.8	18.9	17.7	18.6	20.5	19.7	18.3	
Netherlands	7.1	6.9	7.8	10.3	6.9	7.6	9.6	7.2	9.8	10.1	9.9	11.6	13.3	8.2	
Norway	4.6	4.3	5.3	5.5	4.5	6.4	3.5	6.9	5.5	5.8	5.6	5.2	7.8	5.5	
Portugal	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.0	1.4	3.6	2.3	2.5	3.6	1.7	0.9	2.0	2.8	2.3	
Spain	1.2	1.6	2.3	3.0	1.9	3.2	2.1	1.9	4.0	2.4	0.8	5.0	2.5	2.4	
Sweden	12.8	12.0	13.2	14.5	12.3	12.8	13.7	14.2	13.5	13.5	15.1	15.9	13.6	13.7	
Switzerland	4.8	4.8	4.5	5.6	3.9	4.3	3.1	6.6	5.3	6.5	4.6	6.1	8.5	5.9	
United Kingdom	7.6	8.4	8.6	11.2	9.8	8.0	7.4	9.1	12.3	12.9	8.6	11.2	15.7	12.7	
Total	143.0	149.4	163.0	187.4	152.5	168.0	153.8	178.3	175.9	179.5	169.9	202.0	193.5	178.1	
N. and CENT. AMERICA															
Canada	12.2	10.8	11.7	12.4	11.0	11.2	11.3	13.5	13.4	12.9	11.2	12.2	12.1	12.6	
United States	315.3	256.1	294.6	318.9	269.9	268.5	265.8	374.2	387.2	287.8	329.8	270.7	374.6	253.0	
Total	327.5	266.9	306.3	331.3	280.9	279.7	277.1	387.7	400.6	300.7	340.1	282.9	386.7	265.6	
SOUTH AMERICA															
Argentina	7.4	8.5	7.0	6.9	3.7	5.7	9.0	9.8	6.1	7.6	9.0	5.0	7.3	9.2	
ASIA															
Malaya-Singapore	2.0	4.3	3.3	8.8	1.9	3.1	5.6	2.8	7.2	6.8	11.1	10.0	5.6	13.2	
Turkey	1.7	1.6	1.4	0.9	2.4	1.0	0.5	1.8	1.4	0.9	0.9	0.4	0.5	—	
Total	3.7	5.9	4.7	9.7	4.3	4.1	6.1	4.6	8.6	7.7	12.0	10.4	6.1	13.2	
AFRICA															
Algeria	5.0	5.2	5.5	6.8	3.2	8.7	4.6	5.7	5.8	7.5	7.8	6.2	6.5	8.6	
Egypt	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.2	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.9	*1.7	*1.4	*1.2	*0.4	*1.5	*0.5	
Sudan	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.9	1.3	1.5	2.0	0.5	2.7	1.3	1.7	4.1	1.8	2.8	
Union of South Africa ^a	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.1	2.4	3.1	3.2	2.5	2.6	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	
Total	10.5	10.0	10.5	12.7	7.4	13.5	10.8	10.3	12.7	12.6	14.0	11.3	12.7	13.7	
WORLD TOTAL		510	455	510	565	465	490	480	615	630	530	570	535	635	500

NOTE : Figures include hulled and unhulled coffee but exclude roasted and ground coffee, coffee substitutes, and extracts or preparations. Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing; world totals represent estimates of total trade in coffee. The countries shown accounted for about 94% of world exports and 96% of world imports in 1954.

^aYears and quarters ending the ninth day of the last month of the period.
— *Since 1955, the customs territory includes South West Africa.

NOTE : Les chiffres comprennent le café en parche et déparché ; ils ne comprennent pas le café torréfié et moulu, les succédanés, les extraits ni les préparations. Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données font défaut ; les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial. En 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 94 % des exportations et 96 % des importations totales.

*Années et trimestres finissant le neuvième jour du dernier mois de la période. — *Depuis 1955, le territoire douanier comprend le Sud-Ouest africain.

Table 17. - Tea : Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Tableau 17. - Thé: Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

Country — Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957						
					Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-IV	
				 Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques														
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																			
EUROPE																			
United Kingdom ¹	4.1	3.6	3.7	3.6	4.7	2.5	4.3	3.4	4.3	2.8	2.6	4.6	3.2	3.0					
ASIA																			
Ceylon	38.0	41.0	41.1	40.7	38.1	38.4	44.3	43.6	40.8	38.5	46.1	37.5	46.3	41.3					
China : Taiwan	2.6	3.8	1.9	2.7	0.5	1.4	3.6	2.3	0.9	2.6	3.0	4.2	2.6	2.4					
India	56.8	51.0	41.4	59.4	45.4	17.8	53.8	48.6	63.2	40.1	58.0	76.5	55.1	22.4					
Indonesia	7.2	10.0	7.2	8.6	7.0	5.3	7.1	9.6	7.2	9.5	7.8	10.0	10.2	7.4					
Iran	—	0.6	0.9	0.1	3.3	—	0.4	—	—	0.2	0.1	—	0.2	—					
Japan	3.3	4.3	3.6	2.5	1.8	1.6	6.5	4.6	2.6	1.8	2.8	3.0	2.3	1.3					
Malaya-Singapore ²	0.6	2.3	1.9	1.5	2.8	1.2	2.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	2.0	2.3	1.7					
Pakistan	3.0	2.7	1.5	2.5	1.7	0.9	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.8	2.4	4.3	1.9	—					
Total	111.5	115.7	99.5	118.0	100.6	66.6	119.4	111.8	117.4	95.9	121.6	137.5	120.7	87.5					
AFRICA																			
Kenya	0.7	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.0	1.5	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.8	2.0					
Rhodesia & Nyassaland, Fed. of ³	1.5	1.9	1.9	2.3	3.7	2.1	0.5	1.4	4.2	2.5	0.7	1.7	5.4	2.8					
Tanganyika	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.6					
Uganda	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7					
Total	2.8	4.0	4.4	5.2	6.4	5.2	2.2	3.8	7.4	5.9	3.1	4.2	8.5	6.1					
WORLD TOTAL	125	130	115	133	120	80	140	130	135	110	135	155	140	100					
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																			
EUROPE																			
Germany, Western	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.4					
Ireland, Rep. of	1.8	2.9	3.0	1.5	4.1	3.0	0.6	4.2	3.4	0.8	—	1.8	4.4	4.0					
Netherlands	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.6	2.1	1.5	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.0					
United Kingdom	55.9	61.5	56.6	58.1	80.2	38.0	45.5	62.8	58.2	64.4	54.5	55.5	95.1	57.8					
Total	60.6	67.7	62.9	63.7	87.7	43.7	49.7	70.6	65.2	69.3	58.3	62.2	103.2	65.2					
N. and CENT. AMERICA																			
Canada	5.2	5.1	4.8	5.2	4.3	5.8	4.4	4.7	4.2	6.5	4.4	5.8	5.7	6.1					
United States	12.2	13.0	11.9	11.3	16.3	9.2	11.3	10.9	12.8	11.1	11.2	10.3	11.8	13.2					
Total	17.4	18.1	16.7	16.5	20.6	15.0	15.7	15.6	17.0	17.6	15.6	16.1	17.5	19.3					
ASIA																			
Arabian States	*1.6	*1.3	*1.8	*1.7	*1.6	*1.4	*1.7	*2.7	*1.7	*1.3	*1.8	*1.9	*1.2	...					
Hong Kong	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.4	1.7	1.0	1.5	1.8	2.3	1.8	1.5					
Iran	0.7	0.7	2.1	...	2.1	2.6	1.4	2.5	3.3	...	1.6	1.6	3.2	...					
Iraq	3.0	3.2	4.1	4.3	3.0	3.3	5.0	5.2	4.5	3.7	4.0	5.0	5.0	...					
Malaya-Singapore	1.0	2.8	2.5	1.8	3.9	1.8	3.3	1.2	1.2	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.5	...					
Total	7.8	9.6	12.4	11.4	12.3	10.8	13.8	13.3	11.7	10.0	11.1	13.0	12.0	...					
AFRICA																			
Algeria	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.0	0.9					
Egypt	5.0	6.1	4.3	3.5	3.2	4.0	5.0	5.0	4.3	3.2	2.4	5.2	4.3	4.3					
Morocco (former French zone)	3.5	3.3	3.6	3.7	7.6	2.9	1.5	2.4	4.8	3.3	2.7	4.0	5.6	2.3					
Sudan	1.2	2.1	1.8	1.2	0.7	1.3	3.2	2.1	1.0	0.1	2.5	1.3	2.0	2.0					
Union of South Africa ⁴	2.9	3.1	2.7	3.5	2.3	2.1	2.7	3.6	2.9	2.8	3.3	5.2	2.4	3.2					
Total	13.5	13.6	13.3	12.9	14.6	11.0	13.6	14.2	14.1	11.4	12.6	14.1	16.2	12.7					
OCEANIA																			
Australia	6.9	7.0	6.1	6.1	8.9	5.8	2.7	7.1	5.2	5.9	7.9	5.5	8.4	6.0					
New Zealand	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.3	0.7	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	0.9	2.1	...					
Total	8.6	8.7	7.6	7.7	10.9	7.1	3.4	9.0	7.2	7.8	9.6	6.4	10.5	...					
WORLD TOTAL	115	125	120	120	155	90	100	130	120	120	115	120	170	120					

NOTE : Figures include green and black tea, but exclude maté, tea substitutes, and tea waste. Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing : world totals represent estimates of total trade in tea. The countries shown accounted for about 94% of world exports and 93% of world imports in 1954.

¹Re-exports only. — ²Includes re-exports. — ³Since 1954, Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. Before then, Northern and Southern Rhodesia were net importers of tea. — ⁴Since 1955, the customs territory includes South West Africa.

NOTE : Les chiffres comprennent le thé vert et le thé noir mais non le maté et autres succédanés ni les déchets. Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données font défaut : les totaux mondiaux représentent des évaluations du commerce mondial de thé. Pour 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 94% des exportations mondiales et 93% des importations mondiales.

¹Réexportations seulement. — ²Y compris les réexportations — ³Dép. 1954, Fédération de Rhodésie et Nyassaland. Auparavant, la Rhodésie du Nord et la Rhodésie du Sud étaient importatrices nettes de thé. — ⁴Depuis 1955, le territoire douanier comprend le Sud-Ouest africain.

Table 18. - Cocoa beans:
Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Country Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957	
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI
	. Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques.													
EXPORTING COUNTRIES														
EUROPE														
United Kingdom ¹	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.0	0.8	2.0	1.8	2.5	2.7	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.4
N. and CENT. AMERICA														
Costa Rica	1.7	2.3	2.4	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.1	5.0	1.5	*1.7	*0.6	*2.4	..	...
Dominican Republic	6.2	5.1	5.6	4.4	6.0	11.5	3.6	1.4	3.0	7.6	4.5	2.4	2.5	...
Trinidad and Tobago ²	2.5	2.0	1.9	2.5	3.8	2.3	0.9	0.5	4.3	3.1	1.4	1.1	2.6	*2.8
United States ³	4.2	4.2	3.2	2.1	4.9	3.2	2.2	2.5	3.7	1.9	1.2	1.7	3.5	1.2
Total	14.6	13.6	13.1	10.5	16.5	18.6	7.8	9.4	12.5	14.3	7.7	7.6	10.0	...
SOUTH AMERICA														
Brazil	27.2	30.2	30.5	31.5	20.8	6.6	38.2	56.3	29.0	10.4	48.3	38.2	22.9	...
Ecuador	5.6	7.6	6.1	7.3	3.9	9.6	6.4	4.5	3.6	12.1	7.8	5.7	*5.4	...
Venezuela	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.6	6.2	5.8	2.4	1.6	4.2	7.1	4.9	2.4	4.7	5.8
Total	37.1	41.9	40.6	43.4	30.9	22.0	47.0	62.4	36.8	29.6	61.0	46.3	33.0	...
AFRICA														
Belgian Congo	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.4
French Cameroons	15.1	12.5	13.9	11.5	23.2	10.1	6.1	16.2	17.9	11.2	15.1	28.1	7.1	...
French Togoland	1.9	3.1	3.5	1.1	8.1	2.2	2.0	1.8	2.5	0.6	0.5	1.0	1.2	*0.5
French West Africa	17.9	13.2	18.8	19.0	37.6	11.6	10.0	15.9	24.7	21.1	7.1	22.8	32.8	15.1
Ghana	60.1	54.4	52.3	59.5	78.1	50.4	34.1	46.6	92.9	66.9	28.1	50.2	100.9	90.5
Nigeria	26.6	25.0	22.4	29.8	31.5	20.4	8.1	29.8	40.3	32.4	13.2	33.2	51.8	44.9
São Tomé and Príncipe	2.7	1.8	1.4	2.2	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.2	2.6	3.1	2.1	1.5	...
Total	124.9	110.7	113.1	124.1	180.7	96.8	62.8	112.6	180.5	135.8	54.9	125.4	217.6	161.0
WORLD TOTAL	190	180	175	185	235	145	125	195	240	190	130	190	275	...
IMPORTING COUNTRIES														
EUROPE														
Austria	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.9	2.5	2.3	1.7	3.0	3.2	2.4
Belgium-Luxembourg	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.8	2.7	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.7	3.2	2.1	3.4	4.3	3.6
France	12.0	12.7	10.8	12.8	11.3	10.9	8.3	12.6	13.0	13.8	10.2	14.3	17.5	16.0
Germany, Western	18.4	18.6	18.2	24.7	14.8	14.4	18.9	24.8	21.4	22.7	23.3	31.5	27.2	25.0
Italy	4.3	4.6	4.7	5.6	4.3	4.5	4.1	5.9	5.4	5.8	5.1	6.3	8.7	6.6
Netherlands	16.6	12.9	14.8	16.8	17.3	14.2	13.1	14.6	17.5	18.7	14.9	16.3	20.5	21.1
Spain	2.6	4.0	3.8	3.8	5.5	4.0	1.5	4.1	4.8	5.1	2.4	3.1	5.0	...
Sweden	1.6	1.7	1.5	2.0	2.3	2.0	0.7	1.2	2.4	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.5	1.6
Switzerland	2.1	2.1	3.3	2.7	6.3	3.6	1.6	3.7	3.9	3.7	1.6	1.8	5.8	3.2
United Kingdom	31.5	34.9	33.3	19.9	59.3	27.0	14.2	32.8	34.8	19.0	10.9	15.0	50.4	33.4
Total	92.9	95.4	94.9	93.5	125.8	84.3	66.2	104.0	108.4	96.3	73.5	96.8	145.1	117.0
N. and CENT. AMERICA														
Canada	3.7	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.5	4.8	1.7	2.6	2.4	4.5	4.4	1.5	2.6	5.1
United States	64.1	58.5	56.7	63.4	67.8	53.8	49.9	55.4	86.6	73.5	48.7	44.8	82.3	57.6
Total	67.8	61.9	59.8	66.6	71.3	58.6	51.6	58.0	89.0	78.0	53.1	46.3	84.9	62.7
SOUTH AMERICA														
Argentina	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.6	2.0	0.2	1.5	2.3	1.3	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.7
Colombia	2.1	1.9	2.6	2.4	1.5	1.9	3.8	3.3	2.1	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.0	2.3
Total	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.5	2.1	5.3	5.6	3.4	4.5	4.3	4.0	4.9	4.0
ASIA														
Japan	1.3	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7	1.4	0.3	0.6	1.2	0.6	1.5	1.6	...
AFRICA														
Union of South Africa ⁴	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.5	1.3	0.1	0.1	2.3	0.5	0.4	0.1	2.1	0.2
OCEANIA														
Australia	1.7	2.1	2.1	2.8	0.5	6.5	0.7	0.6	2.9	3.9	3.8	0.7	5.6	1.7
WORLD TOTAL	180	180	175	180	215	165	135	175	220	195	145	160	260	200

NOTE : Data exclude crushed or ground cacao when reported separately.
Continental totals refer only to the countries listed but include estimates for these countries when data are missing ; world totals represent estimates of total trade in cacao. The countries shown accounted for about 94% of world exports and 92% of world imports in 1954.

¹Re-exports. — ²Excluding transshipments from Venezuela. — ³Since 1955, the customs territory includes South West Africa.

NOTE : Les données ne comprennent pas le cacao pilé ou en poudre lorsqu'il en est fait rapport séparément. Les totaux continentaux se rapportent seulement aux pays énumérés mais comprennent des estimations pour ces pays lorsque les données sont défaut ; les totaux mondiaux sont des estimations du commerce mondial. En 1954, le commerce des pays énumérés représentait environ 94% des exportations et 92% des importations mondiales.

¹Réexportations. — ²Non compris les transbordements de cacao en provenance du Venezuela. — ³Depuis 1955, le territoire douanier comprend le Sud-Ouest africain.

Table 19. - Tobacco : Trade by quarters, 1953-57

Tableau 19. - Tabac : Commerce par trimestre, 1953-57

Country — Pays	1953	1954	1955	1956	1955				1956				1957															
	Quarterly averages Moyennes trimestrielles				I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI	VII-IX	X-XII	I-III	IV-VI														
	..... Thousand metric tons - Milliers de tonnes métriques																										
EXPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Greece.....	12.2	13.1	13.7	12.1	13.0	4.2	2.6	35.0	10.5	3.5	3.0	31.6	22.0	7.2														
Italy.....	3.3	2.8	3.0	3.3	2.2	3.0	2.9	1.2	2.5	4.3	4.2	4.4	2.8	2.8														
Netherlands.....	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.2	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.7														
Yugoslavia.....	1.5	1.7	3.6	5.0	5.4	4.8	*2.2	*2.2	8.1	3.7	2.7	5.5	5.9	...														
<i>Total</i>	18.2	19.2	21.4	21.2	23.1	12.6	8.9	47.5	21.2	10.9	10.7	42.4	33.0	15.0														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
Canada.....	3.2	3.6	5.5	3.4	10.9	7.5	1.6	1.9	8.0	1.5	1.5	2.7	8.0	5.7														
Cuba.....	4.1	4.8	5.6	5.2	6.8	4.7	5.4	4.6	7.0	5.0	4.3	4.7	4.3	8.7														
Dominican Republic.....	2.4	3.1	3.3	4.8	2.3	1.8	2.6	6.4	3.5	1.4	9.9	4.5	1.1	...														
United States.....	58.6	51.4	61.2	57.8	43.5	29.9	83.1	88.4	46.7	43.7	63.5	77.4	40.9	45.3														
<i>Total</i>	68.3	62.9	75.5	71.2	63.5	43.9	92.7	101.3	65.2	51.6	79.2	89.3	54.3	61.0														
SOUTH AMERICA																												
Brazil.....	6.0	7.0	7.0	7.8	4.6	3.6	7.7	12.2	4.1	2.8	12.4	12.0	5.2	...														
Colombia.....	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.3	2.0	0.7	0.4	1.5	1.9	0.6	0.4	2.3	2.7	1.5														
<i>Total</i>	7.2	8.3	8.1	9.1	6.6	4.3	8.1	13.7	6.0	3.4	12.8	14.3	7.9	...														
ASIA																												
India.....	7.9	8.4	10.0	10.5	4.0	8.1	11.2	16.0	5.0	8.3	23.7	5.2	6.0	...														
Indonesia.....	3.3	4.8	3.1	2.8	2.6	6.4	2.4	1.1	4.1	4.3	1.7	1.2	4.8	5.9														
Lebanon.....	0.1	0.1	—	0.2	0.1	0.1	—	—	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	...	...												
Philippines.....	3.0	2.3	1.5	1.9	0.3	0.8	2.7	2.2	*1.9	*1.9	*1.9	*2.0	...	...												
Turkey.....	17.9	16.1	15.0	15.2	22.0	4.8	7.3	25.9	29.3	16.4	1.3	13.7	25.5	30.6														
<i>Total</i>	32.2	31.7	29.6	30.6	29.0	20.2	23.6	45.2	40.6	31.1	28.7	22.4	37.0	...														
AFRICA																												
Algeria.....	3.1	3.8	3.8	2.8	0.6	2.0	11.8	0.7	2.5	4.6	3.4	0.8	0.4	2.8														
Madagascar.....	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.9	—	0.4	3.4	0.1	—	1.9	1.9	—	—	—														
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Fed. of																												
Southern Rhodesia.....	9.1																											
Northern Rhodesia.....	1.2	15.0	14.1	18.7	3.9	19.4	24.0	9.0	2.8	17.9	32.0	22.2	5.5	20.1														
Nyasaland.....	3.0																											
<i>Total</i>	17.4	20.0	18.9	22.4	4.5	21.8	39.2	9.8	5.3	24.4	37.3	23.0	5.9	22.9														
WORLD TOTAL	150	150	160	165	135	110	180	225	145	130	180	205	150	155														
IMPORTING COUNTRIES																												
EUROPE																												
Austria.....	2.6	1.9	2.3	3.5	4.6	1.1	1.4	2.5	3.0	3.1	3.2	4.7	4.5	1.7														
Belgium-Luxembourg.....	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.7	5.2	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.4	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4	...														
Denmark.....	2.4	2.7	2.4	3.0	2.0	2.1	1.5	4.0	2.8	2.8	2.1	4.4	3.0	2.0														
Finland.....	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4														
France.....	7.0	11.1	9.7	8.7	10.6	5.4	12.3	10.7	8.7	8.3	9.3	8.5	9.1	6.2														
Germany, Western.....	14.0	15.1	16.9	17.6	14.9	17.2	17.8	17.8	15.4	18.5	17.9	18.6	17.1	19.7														
Ireland, Rep. of.....	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.1	1.3	0.4	2.2	2.9	0.8	0.1	1.5	2.1	1.6	0.1														
Italy.....	2.0	1.6	2.7	1.8	4.7	2.8	1.6	1.6	2.0	1.6	2.3	1.2	2.1	0.2														
Netherlands.....	8.2	10.0	6.2	8.1	11.0	5.3	5.8	2.7	7.3	8.2	7.5	9.3	8.4	7.3														
Norway.....	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1														
Portugal.....	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.2														
Spain.....	5.7	4.0	5.9	5.7	5.9	4.4	3.6	9.9	6.1	7.1	4.7	4.8	4.7	...														
Sweden.....	2.4	2.2	1.9	2.1	1.8	0.9	1.3	3.6	1.7	0.5	1.4	5.0	2.5	0.8														
Switzerland.....	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.2	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.4	2.8	3.1														
United Kingdom.....	35.8	35.3	39.0	34.4	22.4	21.3	50.5	61.7	26.2	18.2	39.6	53.7	22.1	21.1														
<i>Total</i>	93.6	97.1	100.8	98.3	90.8	72.9	110.3	130.2	85.8	80.8	101.6	125.5	87.5	75.0														
N. and CENT. AMERICA																												
United States.....	11.9	12.0	12.1	13.7	12.1	13.2	12.5	12.6	13.5	13.7	14.1	13.6	13.6	14.1														
SOUTH AMERICA																												
Uruguay.....	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.7	0.5	1.0	1.8	0.3	0.9	1.4	1.9	0.9	0.5														
ASIA																												
Cambodia.....	1.9	1.4	0.2	...	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	—	...	...	...											
Laos.....	1.9	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.3	0.9	1.7	1.0	1.8	1.4	1.7	2.8	...														
Viet-Nam.....	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.6	...														
India.....	1.8	1.4	1.9	3.6	0.7	0.9	1.4	4.7	3.6	5.2	2.2	3.5	2.6	...														
Indonesia.....	1.7	1.8	2.6	1.4	3.0	0.8	1.8	4.9	3.8	—	0.5	1.4	1.9	...														
Japan.....	2.9	1.6	2.8	0.8	3.5	3.6	2.1	2.0	*0.8	*0.8	*0.8	*0.9	...	...												
<i>Total</i>	8.6	6.5	9.2	7.7	8.9	7.1	7.3	13.8	9.7	8.4	5.1	7.8	...	...												
AFRICA																												
Algeria.....	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.2	2.0	2.0	1.9														
Belgian Congo.....	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.0	0.6	0.4	1.7	0.9	0.3	0.5	1.7	1.5	0.9	1.2														
Egypt.....	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.7	3.0	2.9	*2.9	*2.9	*2.9	*2.9	*3.0	...	...												
Morocco (former French zone)	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.4	1.0														
Nigeria.....	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.4	1.7														
Tunisia.....	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.3	1.5	0.3	—	0.4	1.8	0.7	...														
Union of South Africa.....	0.2	0.2	1.2	2.2	0.5	0.3	2.1	2.0	—	1.4	3.3	4.3	—	0.5														
<i>Total</i>	6.6	7.5	7.8	8.9	6.4	5.7	9.2	10.4	5.4	6.7	10.2	13.8	8.0	9.0														
OCEANIA																												
Australia.....	4.0	4.4	5.9	4.1	9.9	2.1	5.1	6.4	7.6	1.3	2.5	5.2	6.2	4.6														
New Zealand.....	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.5	1.2	0.4	0.7	...														
<i>Total</i>	4.6	5.2	6.8	4.8	10.6	3.1	6.2	7.3	8.3	1.8	3.7	5.6	6.9	...														
WORLD TOTAL	140	145	155	155	145	115	160	195	140	125	155	190	160	125														

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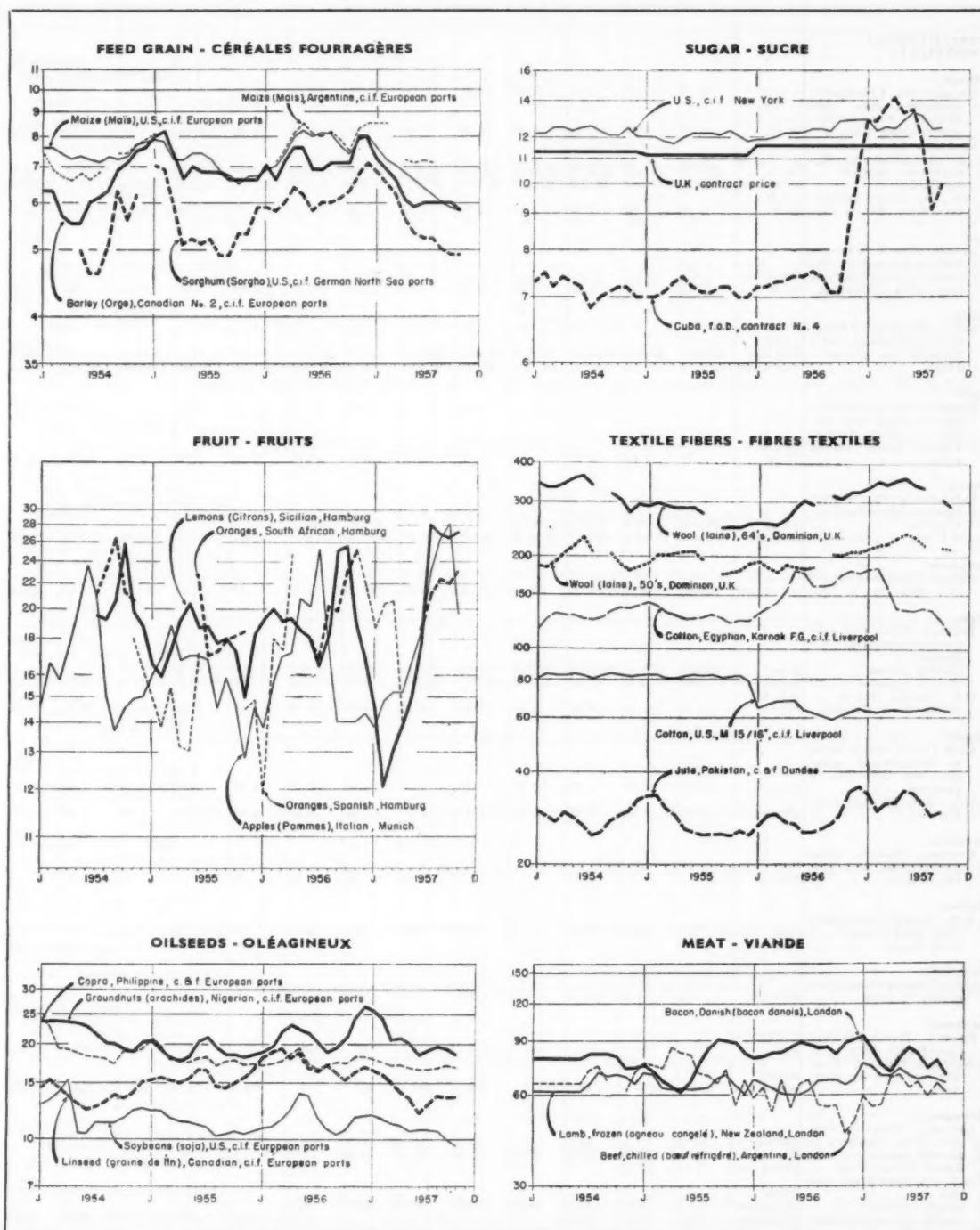
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Table 20A. - Price series of international significance

Tableau 20A. - Série de prix d'intérêt international

1954-57

U.S. cents per kilogram - Cents E.-U. par kilogramme



NOTE : Please refer to price series in Table 20B for complete specifications and for quotations of recent months in original currencies. Prices for beef and bacon were fixed through June 1954.

NOTE : Prière de se reporter au Tableau 20B pour les spécifications complètes et les prix des derniers mois dans les monnaies originales. Les prix du bœuf et du bacon étaient fixés jusqu'à fin juin 1954.

Table 20B. - Price series of international significance

Tableau 20B. - Série de prix d'intérêt international

Commodity : Description of series	Currency and unit	1956			1957									
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS														
Wheat														
Canada : No. 1 Northern, basis in store Fort William - Port Arthur, export price, Class II..	Can. \$/ 60 lb.	1.72	1.70	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.68	1.67	1.64	1.63	1.62	1.61	1.62	1.61
European ports, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f. : Argentine, up-river....	£.s.d./ long ton	29/0/0	30/4/8	30/6/10	29/19/0	28/0/0	26/5/8	26/2/9	25/13/2	26/9/4	26/12/8	—	25/16/3	25/16/8
Australian	U.S.\$/ 60 lb.	28/13/6	29/15/0	31/5/0	30/12/0	29/10/0	27/6/3	27/3/0	26/3/9	26/2/6	26/0/6	25/9/4	25/3/2	25/10/0
U.S. : No. 2 Hard Winter, cash price, Kansas City	2.31	2.36	2.34	2.36	2.34	2.34	2.30	2.23	2.27	2.14	2.11	2.12	2.13	
Rye														
Canada : No. 2 Western, basis in store Fort William - Port Arthur, cash price, Winnipeg..	Can. \$/ 56 lb.	1.36	1.35	1.26	1.29	1.18	1.14	1.08	1.01	0.99	1.09	1.10	1.08	1.05
Barley														
European ports, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f. : Canadian No. 2, feed ..	£.s.d./ long ton metric ton	25/16/1	29/3/0	29/2/11	26/5/9	24/18/8	23/17/4	22/3/6	21/6/4	21/17/10	21/18/6	21/16/8	21/13/2	20/18/11
Iraqi	22/15/3	24/2/10	25/1/3	24/11/0	23/2/6	21/6/3	19/9/0	18/10/8	18/12/6	18/6/0	17/3/9	17/10/6	16/19/3	
Oats														
Canada : No. 2, Western, basis in store Fort William - Port Arthur, Wheat Board selling price	Can. \$/ 34 lb.	0.87	0.86	0.82	0.83	0.80	0.77	0.76	0.76	0.75	0.75	0.74	0.76	0.74
Maize														
European ports, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f. : Argentine	£.s.d./ long ton	27/3/6	30/0/8	31/0/0	30/19/8	—	26/0/0	25/17/6	24/15/0	23/17/5	23/6/8	22/11/8	21/18/2	21/9/8
U.S. No. 2, yellow....	26/14/0	28/10/4	29/1/7	27/14/7	26/5/2	25/10/11	24/15/0	23/17/5	23/6/8	22/11/8	21/18/2	21/9/8	21/1/8	
Sorghum														
German North Sea ports : U.S. Milo No. 2, c.i.f.	U.S.\$/ metric ton	62.80	68.50	70.90	68.50	65.30	61.80	56.00	53.10	51.80	51.50	50.10	49.10	49.40
Rice¹														
Thailand : White rice, government standard, f.o.b Bangkok : 25-28% broken.....	£.s.d./ metric ton	40/0/0	37/0/0	37/10/0	38/0/0	38/10/0	39/5/0	39/0/0	40/0/0	41/0/0	42/10/0	—	51/0/0	51/0/0
15-17% broken.....	47/10/0	42/10/0	43/0/0	44/0/0	44/10/0	44/15/0	45/5/0	45/5/0	48/0/0	52/10/0	56/10/0	51/0/0	51/0/0	
U.S. : Zenith, No. 2, milled, New Orleans..	U.S.\$/ 100 lb.	8.55	8.50	8.50	8.60	8.90	8.95	8.90	9.10	9.20	9.50	9.40	9.30	9.45
Sugar²														
Cuba : F.o.b. export price to destinations other than the U.S. (No. 4 contract).....	U.S.\$/lb.	3.24	3.91	4.77	5.79	5.81	6.17	6.46	6.02	6.12	5.27	4.14	4.55	4.03
U.S. : Raw, 96%, c.i.f. New York	U.S.\$/lb.	5.80	5.84	5.87	5.86	5.60	5.68	5.64	5.87	6.03	5.96	5.64	5.68	5.71
Potatoes														
Germany, Western : New crop, Italian, best quality, Munich	Marks/ 100 kg.	—	—	—	—	—	82	48	45	58	—	—	—	—
Onions														
U.K. : London, first quality	Sh/d/ 56-lb. sack	12/7	16/10	17/3	19/7	14/0	10/9	23/6	28/4	—	15/8	13/2	12/7	
From Netherlands	56-lb. sack	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25/8	14/6	13/10	—	—	
From Egypt	Sh/d/ lb.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1/0
Tomatoes														
U.K. : Canary Islands, first quality, London	Sh/d/ lb.	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/5	1/3	1/2	1/0	—	—	—	—	1/0
Bananas³														
France : French Guinea, f.o.r. French ports	F. francs/kg.	133	114	92	101	110	124	130	106	66	82	76	130	125
Germany, Western : Ecuador, import price, Hamburg	Marks/ metric ton	570	556	588	612	769	747	744	778	712	712	731	706	700
Oranges														
Germany, Western : Auction price, Hamburg : Spanish navels	Marks/ 35-kg.case	—	37.35	32.18	27.52	29.98	30.29	20.60	—	—	—	30.30	31.96	31.41
South African navels	34-kg.case	33.14	35.90	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33.19
U.K. : Auction price, London : Israeli Shamouti.....	Sh/d/ 39-kg.case	—	—	60/3	56/10	50/7	47/2	42/11	46/3	48/0	46/4	45/9	—	—
South African Outspan	30-kg.case	55/7	53/7	43/3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45/3	53/10	

For notes, see end of table.

Pour les notes, voir fin du tableau.

Table 20B. - Price series of international significance
(continued)

Tableau 20B. - Série de prix d'intérêt international (suite)

Commodity : Description of series Produits : Spécifications	Currency and unit Monnaie et unité	1956			1957									
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
Grapefruit U.K. : auction price, London : Israeli South African	Sh/d/ 40-kg.case	51/2/ 41/9	48/5	42/5	52/8	66/7	54/3	68/11	71/10	51/6	65/6	—	36/0	52/3 54/6
Lemons Germany, Western : Sicilian, first class, auction price, Hamburg	Marks/ 39.5 kg. case	42.29	31.57	27.79	24.03	19.89	21.53	22.91	24.72	29.30	46.98	44.85	44.00	44.89
Apples Germany, Western : Italian dessert, best quality, Munich	Marks/ 100 kg.	59	59	60	58	62	64	64	70	77	97	110	118	104
Raisins U.K. : Sultanas, London : Australian, 3-Crown .. Turkish, No. 9	Sh/d/ 112 lb.	—	107/8	107/0	107/1	110/0	108/6	109/0	126/6 109/0	127/8 109/0	128/10 109/3	129/6 116/2	133/10 128/10	137/0 125/0
Dates U.S. : Iraqi Hallowi, selected, New York.....	U.S.c./ lb.	16.25	17.12	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.00	16.50	16.90	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.25
Soybeans European ports ⁴ : U.S. No. 2, bulk, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f.	f.s.d./ long ton	38/15/6	42/8/9	42/13/9	43/5/0	42/0/0	40/11/11	40/0/0	38/12/6	37/16/0	38/18/0	38/6/3	36/7/2	34/11/6
Groundnuts European ports ⁴ : Nigerian, shelled, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f.	f.s.d./ long ton	73/18/0	86/11/3	95/0/0	93/0/0	87/13/4	74/15/0	75/0/0	73/0/0	67/10/0	69/16/0	71/0/0	70/5/0	67/10/0
Linseed U.K. : Canadian No. 1, bulk, 2 1/2%, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f., London	f.s.d./ long ton	56/0/6	58/8/2	61/1/3	60/0/6	57/5/7	54/15/0	50/16/10	48/15/6	43/18/2	47/2/0	49/10/0	48/18/5	48/17/0
Copra European ports ⁴ : Philippine, bulk, nearest forward shipment, c. and f.	U.S.\$/ long ton	177.10	185.62	186.00	182.70	178.50	175.00	175.00	171.80	168.37	168.20	170.12	172.75	169.10
Olive oil European ports : Tunisian, edible, 1%, c.i.f.	f.s.d./ metric ton	350/0/0	350/0/0	350/0/0	312/10/0	304/7/6	292/10/0	287/10/0	281/0/0	277/10/0	272/16/0	270/0/0	258/15/0	251/0/0
Soybean oil European ports : U.S., crude, 1 1/2%, bulk, c.i.f. Rotterdam	U.S.\$/ long ton	323	350	376	375	354	342	323	298	295	303	305	295	291
Groundnut oil European ports : British West African, 3-6%, bulk, c.i.f. Rotterdam	f.s.d./ long ton	124/2/0	148/15/0	167/6/8	164/4/0	148/13/4	142/0/0	130/0/0	126/13/0	122/15/0	120/0/0	126/6/8	126/7/6	125/6/0
Linseed oil U.K. : Argentine and Uruguayan, bulk, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f., London	f.s.d./ long ton	109/0/0	109/0/0	129/0/0	125/12/0	105/0/0	101/11/3	102/3/9	99/14/0	87/16/0	88/5/0	92/0/0	91/0/0	90/4/0
Coconut oil European ports : Straits, 3 1/2%, bulk, c.i.f. Rotterdam	f.s.d./ long ton	89/9/0	95/6/3	96/17/6	94/17/0	93/17/6	93/0/0	92/10/0	90/15/0	90/1/3	90/13/0	91/17/6	91/13/9	90/6/8
Palm oil European ports : Nigerian, 5%, bulk, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f.	f.s.d./ long ton	93/15/0	—	101/0/0	100/0/0	97/2/6	97/0/0	96/12/6	93/4/0	90/15/0	90/14/0	91/7/6	89/5/0	86/4/0
Groundnut cake U.K. : Nigerian, 56% protein, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f., at ports	f.s.d./ long ton	40/0/0	41/0/0	41/18/4	41/16/0	38/15/0	37/4/6	36/17/6	35/18/0	35/14/0	36/9/8	35/12/2	34/15/0	32/15/0
Cottonseed cake U.K. : Indian, expeller, 43% protein, nearest forward shipment, c.i.f., at ports	f.s.d./ long ton	33/16/0	35/0/10	36/0/0	35/5/8	31/11/10	29/13/4	29/18/4	29/5/0	28/10/0	29/5/0	28/19/4	27/16/3	27/3/4
Coffee France : Ivory Coast Robusta, ex warehouse, Le Havre	f. francs/ kg.	310	306	314	303	300	319	328	325	338	346	347	359	351
U.S. : Spot, New York : Brazilian Santos No. 4	U.S.\$./lb.	60.30	60.35	60.30	60.63	60.45	59.65	59.38	58.78	57.35	55.53	53.69	53.09	53.93
Colombian Manizales ..	U.S.\$./lb.	78.28	74.70	70.30	72.40	70.64	68.14	65.45	66.33	67.13	63.50	63.20	58.85	56.00
Cacao U.K. : Accra, spot, London	Sh/d/ 112 lb.	211/2	216/5	212/11	189/2	185/0	182/6	202/7	209/8	241/11	243/7	257/9	272/10	...
U.S. : Spot, New York : Accra	U.S.\$./lb.	26.3	27.2	26.6	23.7	22.7	22.5	25.5	26.5	30.5	30.5	32.2	34.8	...
Bahia	U.S.\$./lb.	24.3	25.2	25.0	22.5	22.1	21.9	24.5	25.9	31.3	33.2	34.6	35.3	...

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Table 20B. - Price series of international significance
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Tableau 20B. - Série de prix d'intérêt international (suite)

Commodity : Description of series	Currency and unit	1956			1957									
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
Produits : Spécifications	Monnaie et unité													
Tea														
Ceylon : For export, high grown, auction price ^a , Colombo.	Sh/d/ lb.	4/6 8	4/7.2	3/11.6	3/11.4	3/8.6	3/1.0	2/6.0	2/5.2	2/5.0	2/5.8	3/2.3	3/11.8	3/2.4
India : For export, leaf, auction price ^a , Calcutta.	Sh/d/ lb.	3/9.6	3/9.6	3/9.9	3/6.5	3/1.9	2/9.2	2/4.4	—	3/1.0	4/1.8	3/10.2	3/6.0	3/3.5
Pepper														
U.S. : Black, Malabar, spot New York.	U.S.c./lb.	29.40	30.25	27.00	27.12	28.00	25.38	26.55	28.88	29.69	27.25	27.31	27.38	25.45
Wine														
France : Algerian, II ^a alcôhol, at quay.	F. francs/ hl.	5 155	5 155	5 005	5 005	5 005	5 245	5 245	5 405	5 655	6 540	6 870	7 165	8 375
Tobacco														
S. and N.W. Rhodesia : Flue-cured, auction price	Pence/lb.	28.39	19.36	—	—	—	38.13	39.44	—	43.04	41.36	37.44	31.19	—
U.S. : Flue-cured, auction price.	U.S.c./lb.	51.8	48.7	41.8	38.9	—	—	—	—	—	56.2	57.0	55.6	53.7
Cigarette leaf, unstemmed, average import value from Turkey.	U.S.c./lb.	67.9	66.6	67.2	67.6	69.6	71.6	70.1	73.3	67.4	70.3	69.5	—	—
Cotton														
U.K. : c.i.f. Liverpool : American, Texas Middling 15/16'.	Pence/lb.	23.78	24.46	24.98	24.78	24.52	24.64	24.69	24.56	24.65	24.66	24.93	24.88	24.75
Egyptian, Karnak, fully good ^a	Pence/lb.	68.31	70.25	69.25	70.60	71.00	62.67	53.25	52.10	52.00	52.50	51.83	48.50	43.60
Flax														
U.K. : Belgian, medium, water-retted, c.i.f., at ports.	£/long ton	280	286	288	281	273	273	273	273	273	270	268	268	266
Jute														
U.K. : Raw, Pakistani, mill firsts, c. & f. Dundee.	£/long ton	103.8	123.7	128.8	121.1	108.0	113.1	113.3	123.8	123.0	114.5	102.9	105.8	110.8
Sisal														
U.K. : British East African, No. 1, c.i.f. London.	£/long ton	70.9	74.6	74.8	75.7	74.3	71.7	71.2	71.0	70.1	73.0	73.2	70.5	71.2
Silk														
U.S. : Japanese, raw, 20/22 denier, grade 2A, New York.	U.S.\$/ lb.	4.58	4.60	4.55	4.56	4.65	4.54	4.66	4.64	4.60	4.60	4.47	4.47	4.40
Rayon¹⁰														
Italy : Viscose filament, 120/28 denier, Milan.	Lire/ 100 kg.	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000	95 000
Japan : ex mill : Viscose filament, for export.	Yen/lb.	174	174	174	174	174	176	176	176	176	176	174	164	—
Wool														
U.K. : Dominion, clean : 64's.	Pence/lb.	120	125	127	130	136	133	137	140	133	130	—	120	113
50's.	Pence/lb.	78	81	81	82	84	85	89	92	90	85	—	83	78
U.S. : Buenos Aires, greasy V/VII's, clean basis, in bond, Boston.	U.S.c./lb.	82.2	82.4	83.0	88.5	89.5	90.1	92.0	92.0	91.8	91.5	91.5	91.5	90.8
Rubber														
Singapore : f.o.b., in bales :														
No. 1 R.S.S.	Straits c./lb.	93.1	104.3	112.4	98.6	87.5	91.5	91.8	90.2	92.3	92.8	91.4	85.7	—
No. 3 R.S.S.		90.1	100.5	106.8	92.9	83.2	88.1	89.1	88.2	90.7	91.5	90.4	83.9	—
No. 3 blanket crepe		74.9	84.5	90.4	80.7	75.6	77.7	80.2	81.8	83.6	82.8	82.1	79.0	—
Beef														
U.K. : Smithfield Market, London :														
Argentine, hindquarters, chilled.	Pence/lb.	21.65	17.75	19.00	22.96	21.41	21.59	26.62	27.20	24.38	24.99	22.99	25.62	23.55
Australian, hindquarters, frozen.	Pence/lb.	16.37	15.17	14.78	15.75	15.67	15.86	18.54	19.25	18.11	16.83	14.88	14.50	14.70
Lamb														
U.K. : New Zealand, frozen carcasses, Smithfield Market, London.	Pence/lb.	26.08	25.56	26.17	29.53	29.00	27.18	26.88	28.24	26.90	26.30	26.47	26.12	26.00
Bacon														
U.K. : Danish, Selection A, ex quay, London Provision Exchange.	Sh/d/ 112 lb.	300/0	320/0	329/4	333/0	302/6	271/3	260/0	290/5	314/0	304/10	265/0	282/6	252/0

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Table 20B. - Price series of international significance
(continued)

Tableau 20B. - Série de prix d'intérêt international (suite)

Commodity : Description of series Produits : Spécifications	Currency and unit Monnaie et unité	1956			1957									
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
Tallow														
U.S. : Fancy, bulk, f.o.b. New York	U.S.c/lb.	8.25	8.78	8.41	8.31	8.38	8.59	8.25	8.44	8.67	8.83	8.94	9.00	9.06
Lard														
U.S. : Pure, refined, 37-lb. cans, f.a.s. New York ..	U.S.c/lb.	15.25	15.22	16.19	16.56	16.62	16.19	15.83	14.84	14.90	15.69	15.32	14.91	14.69
Hides														
U.K. : Argentine, frigorifico, ox, c. and f., at ports	Pence/lb.	13.25	13.25	13.50	13.50	13.50	14.25	14.50	14.50	15.13	15.20	14	14.75	14.70
U.S. : Native steers, heavy, 58 lb. and upward, Chicago	U.S.c/lb.	13.35	12.63	11.38	10.25	9.12	9.50	9.55	10.50	11.88	13.05	13.50	12.75	11.75
Butter														
U.K. : Salted, London Provision Exchange :														
Danish.....	Sh/d/ 112 lb.	421/0	421/0	420/6	316/0	296/6	313/10	286/10	305/6	327/2	327/4	335/7	347/9	347/5
New Zealand, finest.		307/0	293/2	276/0	262/0	258/0	257/6	261/7	301/6	318/6	314/0	310/0	310/0	297/1
Cheese														
U.K. : New Zealand, waxed, finest, white, London Provision Exchange	Sh/d/ 112 lb.	298/0	298/0	266/0	246/2	239/9	230/8	203/8	195/4	196/4	184/7	180/3	169/10	149/7
Eggs														
Denmark : Price paid to producers by the Danish Egg Export Co-operative	Kr./kg.	4.20	4.25	3.29	3.15	2.80	2.63	2.84	3.11	3.22	3.73	4.00	4.05	4.26
Netherlands : Price paid to producers, Roermond auctions	Guilder/ 100 kg.	239	251	200	180	162	150	165	189	180	224	218	234	267
FISH AND FISHERY PRODUCTS														
Fresh and frozen fish														
U.K. - England and Wales: British landings, average unit value, all sizes :	Sh/d/ 112 lb.													
Cod		63/3	53/11	63/6	78/5	55/7	54/10	66/10	48/1	40/7	44/9	50/6	66/1	...
Haddock		72/8	76/6	78/2	96/0	75/10	58/9	63/3	63/9	49/10	57/5	60/8	65/3	...
Plaice.....		144/9	156/9	135/3	152/3	105/8	104/2	106/5	115/0	124/2	138/8	137/5	144/8	...
Herrings		25/4	36/8	33/0	47/7	50/11	62/11	38/4	32/4	30/2	26/11	18/5	28/9	...
U.S. : Perch (ocean), fillets, frozen, 5-lb. cello-wrapped pkgs., price to primary wholesalers, Boston	U.S.c/lb.	23.90	24.00	24.06	24.45	24.25	24.25	24.35	24.25	24.00	22.90	23.00	22.50	23.50
Shrimp, frozen, headless, 5-lb. carton, average price Chicago	U.S.c/lb.	69.00	83.00	82.00	83.50	84.62	86.50	94.06	94.75	96.31	96.60	96.50	88.20	84.50
Salted fish														
Italy : Cod, salted, pressed, Genoa	Lire/ 100 kg.	21 000	21 000	21 000	21 500	20 500	20 750	20 750	20 750	20 750	20 750	20 750	20 750	20 750
Canned fish														
U.S. : Sardines, Maine, in oil, brokers' quotations, delivered New York	U.S.\$/ case ¹¹	7.80	7.70	7.70	7.95	7.95	7.95	7.70	7.70	7.70	7.28	7.05	6.73	6.51
Tuna, light meat, solid pack, brokers to dealers, Los Angeles	U.S.\$/ case ¹¹	10.85	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.45
Fish meal														
U.S. : Menhaden, 60% protein, 100-lb. burlap or paper bag, New York quotations, f.o.b. East Coast plants	U.S.\$/ short ton	137.00	140.00	141.00	141.20	141.50	138.50	133.20	132.62	129.00	127.60	130.13	131.25	130.10
Fish oil														
U.S. : Menhaden, crude, tanks, f.o.b. ship, Baltimore	U.S.\$/lb.	8.88	8.88	8.88	8.88	9.06	9.00	8.90	8.75	8.56	8.58	8.62	8.94	9.25
Whale oil														
European ports : Crude, bulk, ex tank, Rotterdam	£.s.d./ metric ton	91/0/0	91/4/6	94/15/0	95/0/0	95/0/0	94/7/6	95/0/0	89/12/0	85/15/0	85/16/0	85/7/6	83/5/0	80/10/0

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Table 20B. - Price series of international significance
(concluded)

Tableau 20B. - Série de prix d'intérêt international (fin)

Commodity : Description of series Produits : Spécifications	Currency and unit Monnaie et unité	1956			1957										
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	
FOREST PRODUCTS															
Lumber															
Canada : Fir, finish B and better, 1" x 6"....	Can. \$/ thousand board feet	151.00	151.00	151.00	147.29	147.29	147.29	147.29	147.29	147.29	147.29	147.29	145.89	...	
Germany, Western : Edged spruce fir boards, 3 to 6 m. length, 8-19 cm. width, 21-34 mm. thick, 3rd quality, sawmill price, unloaded, Bavaria	DM/cubic meter	159.12	158.58	158.38	158.23	158.35	158.46	159.62	159.62	159.62	159.81	159.54	159.54	159.54	
Sweden : 2½" x 7" u/s red wood battens, f.o.b., export price, Härnösand district.....	Kronor/standard	1 160	1 170	1 185	1 185	1 195	1 190	1 190	1 195	1 190	1 190	1 195	1 200	1 200	
U.K. : Average import value, c.i.f., sawn soft-wood	£.s.d./standard	83/11/1	82/17/5	81/5/0	81/2/11	80/8/11	85/13/1	83/0/10	84/1/0	83/4/8	82/1/8	83/1/6	82/13/6	82/7/3	
U.S. : Douglas fir, dried 2" x 4" x 16", mixed carlots, f.o.b. mill ...	U.S.\$/thousand board feet	83.16	81.60	80.65	81.99	80.91	80.17	80.89	80.16	80.16	80.77	80.30	78.85	...	
Wood pulp															
Canada : Dry, unbleached strong sulphite, full freight allowed, Eastern Canadian mill	Can. \$/ short ton	126.55	125.04	124.68	124.80	124.60	124.27	124.76	124.15	123.78	123.66	122.97	125.00	...	
Finland : Unbleached sulphate, average export value	Markka/metric ton	27 500	27 600	27 400	27 100	27 500	27 100	26 700	26 500	26 700	26 700	26 300	28 500	35 000	
Sweden: Bleached dissolving sulphite, average export value.....	Kronor/metric ton	933.4	931.6	926.0	920.0	930.0	935.1	931.6	923.7	922.8	922.0	921.9	926.5	914.06	
Newspaper															
Canada : Wholesale price f.o.b. mill, Southern Quebec	Can. \$/ short ton	111.90	110.72	110.39	109.56	109.38	113.07	113.36	112.96	112.63	112.52	111.89	112.45	112.89	
U.K. : Average import value.....	£.s.d./112 lb.	2/15/0	2/15/0	2/16/1	2/15/1	2/15/0	2/15/0	2/16/3	2/15/11	2/16/2	2/13/9	2/16/11	2/16/11	2/16/1	
Finland : Average export value.....	Markka/metric ton	31 900	31 700	31 500	32 700	32 400	31 800	32 800	32 200	31 600	31 500	32 400	36 900	43 500	
Paper															
Finland : Kraft, average export value.....	Markka/metric ton	36 200	35 700	35 600	35 900	35 700	35 900	35 800	37 800	35 500	36 200	34 700	39 600	43 500	

¹The contract price of rice shipped from Burma to Ceylon under bilateral trade agreements was £34 per long ton for 1956 deliveries and £33 for 1957 deliveries, f.o.b. Burma ports. The basic variety is Ngatstein small mills specials, 42% brokens. — ²The contract price for 96° raw sugar paid by the U.K. Government to Commonwealth producers in this period was £42.3.4. — ³The price of Central American bananas, quoted c.i.f. U.S. port of entry, was \$7.50 per 100 lb. through March 1957, \$7 for April and May, and \$8 from June. — ⁴Ports concerned may be Antwerp/Rotterdam/Hamburg/Bremen/Marseille. — ⁵Through December 1956, e. and f. — ⁶Through October 1956, 3-4%. — ⁷Provisional — ⁸Exclusive of export duty and excise. Export duty in sh/d per lb.: India: through November 1956, 0/7.5; December 1956 through January 1957, 0/9.7; February through April 1957, 0/7.5; June, July 1957, 0/5.2; from August 0/7.6. Ceylon : 1/0.2. — ⁹From March 1957, via Continent. — ¹⁰The price of German viscose staple, bright, ex mill, North Rhine-Westphalia, remained at 2.95 DM per kg., and the price of British standard viscose staple, 1½ denier, 1-7/16 inch staple, at 24 pence per lb., throughout this period. — ¹¹100 3½-oz. cans per case. — ¹²48 6½-oz. cans per case.

¹³Le prix contractuel du riz expédié de Birmanie à Ceylan en vertu d'accords commerciaux bilatéraux était de £34 la tonne longue pour les livraisons de 1956 et de £33 pour les livraisons de 1957, f.o.b. ports birmanes. Il s'agit surtout de la variété Ngatstein « small mills specials », 42% de brisures. — ¹⁴Le prix contractuel payé par le gouvernement britannique aux producteurs du Commonwealth pendant cette période pour le sucre brut de 96° était de £42.3/4. — ¹⁵Le prix des bananes d'Amérique centrale, coté c.a.f. port d'entrée aux Etats-Unis, était de \$7.50 par 100 lb. jusqu'à fin mars 1957, de \$7.00 pour avril et mai, et de \$9.00 à partir de juin. — ¹⁶Les ports en question peuvent être Anvers/Rotterdam/Hambourg/Brême/Marseille. — ¹⁷Jusqu'à fin décembre 1956, c. et f. — ¹⁸Jusqu'à fin octobre 1956, 3-4%. — ¹⁹Chiffre provisoire. — ²⁰Non compris les droits d'exportation et les taxes. Les droits d'exportation sont, en sh/d par lb.: Inde — jusqu'à fin novembre 1956, 0/7.5; décembre 1956 à fin janvier 1957, 0/9.7; de février à fin avril, 0/7.5; juin et juillet, 0/5.2; à partir d'août 0/7.6. Ceylan - 1/0.2. — ²¹Depuis mars 1957, par le continent. — ²²Le prix de la fibrane viscose allemande, brillante, à l'usine Nord-Rhin-Westphalie, s'est maintenu pendant toute la période indiquée à 2.95 DM le kg, et le prix de la fibrane viscose « standard » britannique, 1½ denier, fibre de 1-7/16 d'inch, à 24 pence le lb. — ²³Caisse de 100 boîtes de 3-1/4 oz. — ²⁴Caisse de 48 boîtes de 6½ oz.

Table 21. - Coffee : Prices in selected countries

Year and month Années et mois	Belgium	Brazil	Colombia	El Salvador	France	Germany, Western		Indonesia	Mexico	Uganda	United States	
						II	II				I	II
Prices in local currencies - Prix en monnaies nationales												
1948	28.50	91.24	10.62	29.52	—	—	—	215	—	—	32.54	27.06
1949	36.06	111.27	13.87	34.50	—	—	—	275	—	—	37.41	31.76
1950	58.40	184.90	19.88	50.91	—	488.00	609.11	508	5.48	195/4	53.25	50.52
1951	62.04	194.01	24.02	55.51	—	517.83	671.56	529	6.57	310/0	58.74	54.20
1952	61.85	197.35	25.99	54.69	—	513.08	695.94	693	7.23	363/10	57.01	54.04
1953	65.15	228.63	27.80	57.21	—	554.83	774.70	743	7.20	358/0	59.82	57.93
1954	82.99	422.30	37.90	76.98	426	759.50	1 024.59	1 026	9.47	436/2	80.02	78.71
1955	61.00	411.25	31.98	58.80	310	547.83	764.48	730	7.79	263/3	64.57	57.09
1956	73.95	439.25	41.61	66.33	295	568.17	847.39	567	10.31	252/5	73.97	58.10
1956 VII	79.00	466.25	46.20	68.71	297	578.00	827.00	486	11.00	258/6	78.15	59.10
VIII	80.00	472.50	47.72	71.69	306	590.00	—	510	12.00	252/8	80.45	60.00
IX	78.00	473.75	46.26	69.66	317	570.00	862.64	557	11.77	250/10	81.08	60.90
X	79.00	466.00	46.67	57.68	310	588.00	866.63	588	11.68	256/11	78.28	60.30
XI	76.00	461.25	43.74	67.89	306	588.00	899.89	659	10.14	251/1	74.70	60.35
XII	72.00	457.25	41.87	65.24	314	590.00	889.91	695	9.00	254/1	70.30	60.30
1957 I	75.00	457.75	46.27	66.56	303	586.00	849.67	723	9.00	251/3	72.40	60.63
II	71.00	451.75	43.42	65.90	300	576.00	841.69	665	9.00	252/8	70.64	60.45
III	67.00	447.25	43.50	60.26	319	580.00	829.16	716	9.00	250/9	68.14	59.65
IV	65.00	434.70	43.50	61.04	328	576.00	769.31	752	8.63	254/5	65.45	59.38
V	65.00	425.75	43.50	60.02	325	580.00	751.57	815	8.50	253/6	66.33	58.78
VI	69.00	445.25	47.73	62.26	338	550.00	—	870	9.00	257/6	67.13	57.35
VII	63.50	451.90	55.00	59.81	343	536.00	—	972	9.00	261/3	63.50	55.53
VIII	59.00	434.10	—	58.63	347	520.00	—	1 213	—	257/2	63.20	53.69
IX	59.00	428.80	—	—	359	506.00	771.72	1 268	—	258/8	58.85	53.09
X	55.00	433.70	—	—	351	514.00	753.33	1 384	—	247/0	56.00	53.93
Prices in U.S. cents/kg. - Prix en cents des E.-U./kg.												
1948	65.0	49.3	48.5	64.2	—	—	—	81.1	—	—	71.7	57.9
1949	79.5	60.1	56.9	75.0	—	—	—	95.4	—	—	82.5	70.0
1950	116.8	99.9	81.6	110.7	—	116.2	145.0	133.7	63.4	53.8	117.4	111.4
1951	124.1	104.9	98.5	120.7	—	123.3	159.9	139.2	76.0	85.4	129.5	119.5
1952	123.7	106.7	106.6	118.9	—	122.2	165.7	72.1	83.6	100.3	125.7	119.1
1953	130.3	—	114.0	124.4	—	132.1	184.5	65.2	83.2	98.7	131.9	127.7
1954	166.0	—	155.5	167.3	121.7	180.8	244.0	90.0	75.8	120.2	176.4	173.5
1955	122.0	—	131.2	127.8	88.6	130.4	182.0	64.0	62.3	72.5	142.4	125.9
1956	147.9	—	170.7	144.2	84.3	135.3	201.8	49.7	82.5	69.6	163.1	128.1
1956 VII	158.0	—	189.5	149.4	84.9	137.6	196.9	42.6	88.0	71.2	172.3	130.3
VIII	160.0	—	195.8	155.8	87.4	140.5	—	44.7	96.0	69.6	177.4	132.3
IX	156.0	—	189.8	151.4	90.6	135.7	205.4	48.9	94.2	69.1	178.8	134.3
X	158.0	—	191.5	125.4	88.6	140.0	206.3	51.6	93.4	70.8	172.6	132.9
XI	152.0	—	179.4	147.6	87.4	140.0	214.3	57.8	81.1	69.2	164.7	133.0
XII	144.0	—	171.8	141.8	89.7	140.5	211.9	61.0	72.0	70.0	155.0	132.9
1957 I	150.0	—	189.8	144.7	86.6	139.5	202.3	63.4	72.0	69.2	159.6	133.7
II	142.0	—	178.1	143.3	85.7	137.1	200.4	58.3	72.0	69.6	155.7	133.3
III	134.0	—	178.5	131.0	91.1	138.1	197.4	62.8	72.0	69.1	150.2	131.5
IV	130.0	—	178.5	132.7	93.7	137.1	183.2	66.0	69.0	70.1	144.3	130.9
V	130.0	—	178.5	130.5	92.9	138.1	178.9	71.5	68.00	69.9	146.2	129.6
VI	138.0	—	195.8	135.3	96.6	131.0	—	76.3	72.00	71.0	148.0	126.4
VII	127.0	—	—	130.0	98.0	127.6	—	85.3	72.00	72.0	140.0	122.4
VIII	118.0	—	—	127.5	99.1	123.8	—	106.4	—	70.9	139.3	118.4
IX	118.0	—	—	—	102.6	120.5	183.7	111.2	—	71.3	129.7	117.0
X	110.0	—	—	—	100.3	122.4	179.6	121.4	—	68.1	123.5	118.9

Belgium : Belgian Congo, Arabica, plantation crop, c.i.f. Antwerp. — Brazil : Santos No. 4, wholesale price, Santos. — Colombia : Manizales, parchment, average quality, wholesale price, domestic markets. — El Salvador : Washed, wholesale price, f.o.b. San Salvador. — France : Ivory Coast, Robusta, ex warehouse, Le Havre. — Germany, Western : I - Brazilian Santos, extra, c.i.f. Hamburg. II - East African (Kenya), c.i.f. Hamburg. — Indonesia : Robusta, wholesale price, Jakarta. — Mexico : Planchuela, second grade, wholesale price, Mexico City. — Uganda : Unwashed native Robusta, f.a.q., wholesale price, nearest delivery date, f.o.b. Mombasa. — United States : I - Colombian Manizales, spot price, New York. II - Santos No. 4, spot price, New York.

Belgique : Café congolais, Arabica, plantations européennes, c.a.f. Anvers. — Brésil : Santos N° 4, prix de gros, Santos. — Colombie : Manizales, en parche, qualité courante, prix de gros sur les marchés nationaux. — Salvador : Café type lavé, prix de gros, f.o.b. San Salvador. — France : Côte-d'Ivoire, Robusta courant, en entrepôt, Le Havre. — Allemagne occidentale : I - Santos brésilien, qualité extra, c.a.f. Hambourg. II - Café du Kenya, c.a.f. Hambourg. — Indonésie : Café Robusta, prix de gros, Djakarta. — Mexique : Café Planchuela, deuxième qualité, prix de gros, Mexico. — Ouganda : Café type non lavé, Robusta de production indigène, franco quai, prix de gros pour livraison à la date la plus proche, f.o.b. Mombasa. — Etats-Unis : I - Manizales colombien, prix du disponible, New York. II - Santos N° 4, prix du disponible, New York.

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Table 22. - Tea : Prices in selected countries

Year and month	Ceylon		India	Indonesia	Italy	Morocco	United Kingdom	United States
	I	II						
Prices in local currencies - Prix en monnaies nationales								
Année et mois	Rupees/lb.	Rupees/lb.	Rupiah/ 100 kg.	Lire/kg.	F. francs/kg.	Sh/d per lb.	Cents/lb.	
1948	1.74	1.50	1.65	—	—	—	58.5	
1949	2.11	1.88	1.94	365	2.058	692.0	56.4	
1950	2.39	2.01	2.06	693	1.723	986.5	52.0	
1951	2.12	1.95	1.83	701	1.499	1 200.0	47.9	
1952	2.06	1.53	1.40	912	1 200.0	3 04.4	41.6	
1953	2.06	1.80	1.99	1 037	1 451	820.8	37.8	
1954	2.65	2.53	3.10	1 469	1 802	627.7	53.3	
1955	2.32	2.37	2.61	1 459	1 829	910.4	411.4	
1956	2.57	1.88	2.24	1 072	1 755	—	410.4	
1956 VII	2.12	1.68	2.51	1 039	1 775	—	310.0	50.0
VIII	2.39	1.64	2.71	980	1 775	—	42.5	48.0
IX	2.96	1.76	2.47	1 021	1 702	—	52.8	46.0
X	3.04	1.99	2.53	1 048	1 675	850.0	511.5	48.0
XI	3.07	2.16	2.53	1 099	1 713	875.0	62.3	54.0
XII	2.64	2.12	2.55	1 152	1 775	—	63.1	60.0
1957 I	2.63	2.22	2.36	1 113	1 775	—	510.6	60.0
II	2.48	2.13	2.10	1 151	1 775	—	410.0	62.0
III	2.05	1.89	1.84	1 115	1 775	—	311.6	62.0
IV	1.67	1.83	1.58	1 095	1 775	—	37.4	55.0
V	1.62	1.83	—	1 094	1 775	—	38.8	55.0
VI	1.61	1.78	2.05	1 064	1 775	—	37.2	55.0
VII	1.65	1.71	2.76	—	1 775	—	39.8	55.0
VIII	2.13	1.88	2.56	—	1 775	—	311.8	55.0
IX	2.65	1.94	2.33	—	1 775	—	49.9	53.5
X	2.13	1.84	2.19	—	—	—	410.5	52.0
Prices in U.S. cents/kg. - Prix en cents des E.-U./kg								
1948	115.9	99.9	109.7	—	—	—	—	129.0
1949	125.5	111.8	118.2	123.1	—	—	—	124.3
1950	110.6	93.1	95.4	182.4	329.3	197.7	—	114.6
1951	98.2	90.3	86.7	184.5	275.7	281.9	113.0	109.6
1952	95.4	70.8	64.8	85.3	239.8	342.9	94.1	91.7
1953	95.4	83.3	92.1	91.0	232.2	234.5	112.7	97.2
1954	122.7	117.1	143.6	128.9	288.3	179.3	162.8	144.6
1955	107.3	109.8	120.7	128.0	292.6	260.1	152.8	144.4
1956	119.0	87.1	103.7	94.0	280.8	—	150.2	110.2
1956 VII	98.2	77.8	116.2	91.1	284.0	—	118.3	110.2
VIII	110.7	75.9	125.5	86.0	284.0	—	129.9	105.8
IX	137.0	81.5	114.4	89.6	272.3	—	161.5	101.4
X	140.7	92.1	117.1	91.9	268.0	242.9	183.9	105.8
XI	142.1	100.0	117.1	96.4	274.1	250.0	191.1	119.0
XII	122.2	98.2	118.1	101.1	284.0	—	193.2	132.3
1957 I	121.8	102.8	109.3	97.6	284.0	—	181.6	132.3
II	114.8	98.6	97.7	101.0	284.0	—	149.2	136.7
III	94.9	87.5	85.2	97.8	284.0	—	122.4	136.7
IV	77.3	84.7	73.1	96.1	284.0	—	111.6	121.3
V	75.0	84.7	—	96.0	284.0	—	115.2	121.3
VI	74.5	82.4	94.9	72.9	284.0	—	111.1	121.3
VII	76.4	79.2	127.8	—	284.0	—	117.8	121.3
VIII	98.6	87.0	118.5	—	284.0	—	122.9	121.3
IX	122.7	89.8	107.9	—	284.0	—	148.9	117.9
X	98.6	85.2	101.4	—	—	—	150.5	114.6

¹Crop year from this year forward : April-March. — ²From 16 April, when auction resumed. — ³Provisional.

¹Campagne agricole, à partir de cette année avril-mars. — ²A partir du 16 avril, date à laquelle les ventes aux enchères ont repris. —

³Chiffre provisoire.

Ceylon : I - Tea for export, high-grown, auction price, Colombo. - II - Tea for export, low-grown, auction price, Colombo. — India : Tea for export, auction price, Calcutta. — Indonesia : Broken Orange Pekoe, Orange Pekoe, Pekoe Fannings and Broken Pekoe, unit value, f.o.b. — Italy: Formosa Orange Pekoe, importers' selling price, f.o.b. warehouse, Milan. — Morocco : Formosa Chun Mee, first quality, Casablanca. — United Kingdom : Average auction price, London. — United States : Ceylon and India, black, standard grade, composite price, ex warehouse, New York.

Ceylon : I - Thé d'altitude, pour l'exportation, cours des enchères à Colombo. — II - Thé de basses terres, pour l'exportation, cours des enchères à Colombo. — Inde : Thé pour l'exportation, cours des enchères à Calcutta. — Indonésie : Thé « Broken Orange Pekoe », « Orange Pekoe », « Pekoe Fannings », et « Broken Pekoe », valeur unitaire, f.o.b. — Italie : « Orange Pekoe » de Formose, prix de vente des importateurs, f.o.b. entrepôt, Milan. — Maroc : « Chun Mee » de Formose, première qualité, Casablanca. — Royaume-Uni : Moyenne des prix des enchères à Londres. — Etats-Unis : Thés de Ceylan et de l'Inde, noirs, de qualité standard, moyenne des prix, à l'entrepôt, New York.

Table 23. - Cocoa beans : Prices in selected countries

Tableau 23. - Fèves de cacao : Prix dans certains pays

Year and month — Année et mois	Belgium	Brazil	Ecuador	European ports	France	Italy	Netherlands	United Kingdom	United States		
	Prices in local currencies - Prix en monnaies nationales									I	II
	Francs/ kg.	Cruzeiros/ 15 kg.	Sucre/ 46 kg.	Marks/ 100 kg.	Francs/ 100 kg.	Lire/kg.	Guilder/ 100 kg.	Sh/d per 1/2 lb.	Cents/lb.		
1948	...	145.56	423.17	...	—	—	—	222/6	39.0	39.7	
1949	...	67.19	235.49	...	20 320	—	—	190/4	21.2	21.6	
1950	36.44	136.13	436.64	305.26	29 732	815.4	—	208/6	29.2	32.1	
1951	39.50	159.61	465.88	324.93	33 768	939.6	—	285/6	35.1	35.5	
1952	39.44	163.00	454.36	334.17	35 224	860.5	—	301/9	35.8	35.4	
1953	38.34	170.90	482.58	321.42	33 596	811.2	—	287/8	34.9	37.1	
1954	61.33	407.09	729.16	524.90	56 075	1 122.7	1 471.49	467/6	55.7	57.8	
1955	40.17	335.50	465.73	343.54	33 799	1 014.7	301.04	302/0	36.2	37.4	
1956	29.02	252.82	357.78	248.13	21 928	839.9	216.27	221/7	25.5	27.3	
1956 VII	30.50	262.56	363.00	256.46	22 848	835.0	225.36	228/9	27.1	28.6	
VIII	30.50	262.51	362.00	263.89	22 747	835.0	226.09	233/4	26.6	28.3	
IX.	30.06	254.71	348.90	254.39	22 646	835.0	219.40	228/2	25.8	28.0	
X.	27.88	239.49	338.63	234.12	20 333	835.0	202.82	211/2	24.3	26.3	
XI.	27.72	247.56	349.42	243.20	20 333	785.0	209.17	216/5	25.2	27.2	
XII.	28.29	244.70	366.66	238.29	19 730	789.0	208.44	212/11	25.0	26.6	
1957 I	25.23	218.86	340.00	211.91	18 623	795.0	182.03	189/2	22.5	23.7	
II.	24.10	201.91	352.00	209.36	18 221	735.0	178.33	185/0	22.1	22.7	
III.	23.65	206.57	—	205.43	18 121	735.0	175.61	182/6	21.9	22.5	
IV.	25.63	205.72	—	227.66	20 233	750.0	200.67	202/7	24.5	25.5	
V.	26.55	221.25	—	235.12	22 848	755.0	209.09	209/8	25.9	26.5	
VI.	31.81	261.68	—	272.56	23 954	740.0	243.51	241/11	31.3	30.5	
VII.	31.88	261.01	—	272.87	25 766	775.0	250.51	243/7	33.2	30.5	
VIII.	34.33	275.96	—	300.40	30 793	775.0	273.69	257/9	34.6	32.2	
IX.	37.53	...	...	320.86	32 905	779.0	288.12	272/10	35.3	34.8
X.	...	...	...	325.51	34 715	...	...	...	...	...
Prices in U.S. cents/kg. - Prix en cents des E.-U./kg											
1948	...	52.5	68.1	...	—	—	—	88.3	86.0	87.5	
1949	...	24.2	37.9	...	58.1	—	—	69.2	46.7	47.6	
1950	72.9	49.1	69.7	72.7	84.9	130.5	—	57.5	64.4	70.8	
1951	79.0	57.5	67.5	77.4	96.5	150.3	—	78.7	77.4	78.3	
1952	78.9	58.7	65.8	79.6	100.6	137.7	—	83.2	78.9	78.0	
1953	76.7	—	69.9	76.5	96.0	129.8	—	79.3	76.9	81.8	
1954	122.7	—	105.7	125.0	154.5	179.6	1124.1	128.8	122.8	127.4	
1955	80.3	—	67.5	81.8	96.6	162.4	79.2	83.2	79.8	82.4	
1956	58.0	—	51.9	59.1	62.7	134.4	56.9	61.1	56.2	60.2	
1956 VII	61.0	—	52.6	61.1	65.3	133.6	59.3	63.0	59.7	63.1	
VIII	61.0	—	52.5	62.8	65.0	133.6	59.5	64.3	58.6	62.4	
IX.	60.1	—	50.6	60.6	64.7	133.6	57.7	62.9	56.9	61.7	
X.	55.8	—	49.1	55.7	58.1	133.6	53.4	58.2	53.6	58.0	
XI.	55.4	—	50.6	57.9	58.1	125.6	55.0	59.6	55.6	60.0	
XII.	56.6	—	53.1	56.7	56.4	126.2	54.9	58.7	55.1	58.6	
1957 I	50.5	—	49.2	50.5	53.2	127.2	47.9	52.1	49.6	52.2	
II.	48.2	—	51.0	49.8	52.1	117.6	46.9	51.0	48.7	50.1	
III.	47.3	—	—	48.9	51.8	117.6	46.2	50.3	48.3	49.6	
IV.	51.3	—	—	54.2	57.8	120.0	52.8	55.8	54.0	56.2	
V.	53.1	—	—	56.0	65.3	120.8	55.0	57.8	57.1	58.4	
VI.	63.6	—	—	64.9	68.4	118.4	64.1	66.7	69.0	67.2	
VII.	63.8	—	—	65.0	73.6	124.0	65.9	67.1	73.2	67.2	
VIII.	68.7	—	—	71.5	78.0	124.0	72.0	71.0	76.3	71.0	
IX.	75.1	—	—	76.4	78.3	124.6	75.8	75.2	77.8	76.7	
X.	...	...	...	77.5	82.7	...	...	...	...	...

¹Average of less than 12 months.

Belgium : Belgian Congo, first quality, c.i.f. Antwerp. — Brazil : Superior grade, wholesale price, Bahia. — Ecuador : Average wholesale price, Guayaquil. — European ports : Accra, import price, c.i.f. Northern Europe. — France : Ivory Coast, wholesale price, ex warehouse, Le Havre. — Italy : São Tomé, importers' sale price, f.o.r. Milan. — Netherlands : Different qualities, 5,000-kg. lots, Amsterdam. — United Kingdom : Accra, spot price, London ; 1948 through October 1950, government fixed price. — United States : I - Bahia, spot price, New York. II - Accra, spot price, New York.

¹Moyenne de moins de 12 mois.

Belgique : Du Congo belge, première qualité, c.a.f. Anvers. — Brésil : Qualité supérieure, prix de gros à Bahia. — Équateur : Prix de gros moyen à Guayaquil. — Ports européens : Accra, prix à l'importation, c.a.f., Europe septentrionale. — France : Cacao de la Côte d'Ivoire, prix moyen, Accra, importation, c.i.f. — Italie : De Saint-Thomas, prix de vente des importateurs, franco rail, Milan. — Pays-Bas : Diverses qualités, par lots de 5 000 kg., Amsterdam. — Royaume-Uni : Accra, prix du disponible, Londres ; de 1948 à fin octobre 1950, prix fixé par le gouvernement. — États-Unis : I - Bahia, prix du disponible, New York - II - Accra, prix du disponible, New York.

Table 24. - Tobacco : Prices in selected countries

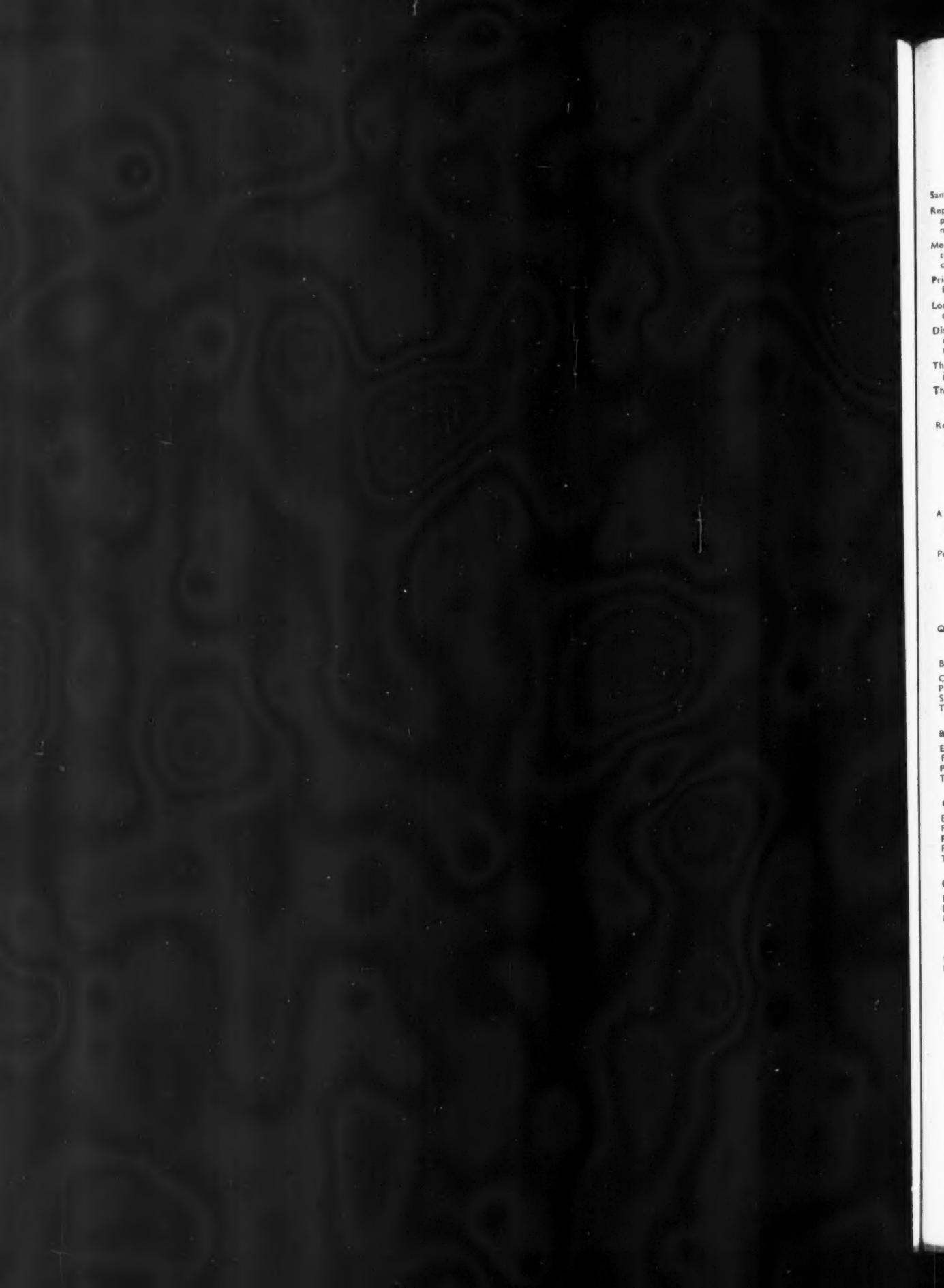
Year and month — Année et mois	Brazil	Canada	Greece	India	Italy	Japan	Philippines	S. and N.W. Rhodesia	United States	
	Prices in local currencies - Prix en monnaies nationales									I
	Cruzeiros/ metric ton	Cents/ lb.	Drachmas/ kg.	Rupees/ lb.	Lire/ 100 kg.	Yen/ kg.	Pesos/ 46 kg.	Pence/ lb.	Cents/lb.	II
1948	10 585	139.70	5 490	2.44	121 645	140.00	—	132.55	77.4	124.9.6
1949	10 277	39.70	7 770	2.64	18 500	250.00	—	31.86	68.3	47.2
1950	11 149	42.60	6 620	3.06	18 500	300.00	58.13	37.65	65.8	54.7
1951	11 770	43.05	17 830	3.15	18 500	370.00	44.62	34.58	61.4	52.4
1952	11 454	40.65	17 740	3.00	19 425	400.00	28.01	42.83	61.4	50.3
1953	17 790	42.82	26 570	3.32	19 425	420.00	31.96	39.70	62.6	52.8
1954	20 386	42.10	35.43	3.59	23 800	420.00	49.01	38.35	63.2	52.7
1955	26 483	42.78	42.59	3.11	23 800	420.00	47.05	40.46	66.6	52.7
1956	34 195	44.64	37.40	3.00	27 370	410.00	—	32.96	67.4	51.5
1956 VII	32 826	42.78	—	3.06	23 800	420.00	—	36.21	70.6	48.9
VIII	34 837	42.78	—	3.06	23 800	420.00	—	33.24	68.5	50.8
IX.	36 872	42.78	7.36	2.75	23 800	410.00	47.60	34.13	67.8	53.0
X.	40 247	44.64	23.13	—	23 800	410.00	47.60	28.39	67.9	51.8
XI.	37 049	44.64	34.96	2.75	27 370	410.00	50.45	19.36	66.6	48.7
XII.	36 894	44.64	37.70	—	27 370	410.00	51.35	—	67.2	41.9
1957 I	32 962	44.64	40.22	2.75	27 370	410.00	—	—	67.6	38.9
II.	33 923	44.64	34.12	1.19	27 370	410.00	—	—	69.6	—
III.	36 063	44.64	33.33	3.22	27 370	410.00	—	38.13	71.6	—
IV.	—	44.64	23.95	3.19	27 370	410.00	—	39.44	70.1	—
V.	—	44.64	27.18	3.25	27 370	410.00	—	—	73.3	—
VI.	—	44.64	—	3.19	27 370	410.00	—	43.04	67.4	—
VII.	—	44.64	—	—	27 370	410.00	—	41.36	70.3	56.2
VIII.	—	44.64	—	—	27 370	410.00	—	37.44	69.5	57.0
IX.	—	44.64	—	—	27 370	410.00	—	31.19	—	55.6
X.	—	—	—	—	27 370	410.00	—	—	—	53.7
Prices in U.S. cents/kg. - Prix en cents des E.-U./kg.										
1948	57.2	187.5	109.8	162.4	137.6	—	—	120.5	170.6	124.9.3
1949	55.5	79.6	155.4	160.7	31.4	69.4	—	107.8	150.6	104.1
1950	60.3	88.9	132.4	141.7	29.6	83.3	63.2	96.8	145.1	120.6
1951	63.6	95.7	164.6	145.8	29.6	102.8	48.5	88.9	135.4	115.5
1952	61.9	91.7	118.3	138.9	31.1	111.1	30.4	110.2	135.4	115.5
1953	—	96.8	110.3	153.7	31.1	116.7	34.7	102.1	138.0	110.9
1954	—	95.4	118.1	166.2	38.1	116.7	53.3	98.6	139.3	116.4
1955	—	95.4	142.0	144.0	38.1	116.7	51.1	104.1	142.4	116.2
1956	—	100.2	124.6	138.9	43.8	113.9	—	84.8	148.6	113.5
1956 VII	—	95.4	—	141.7	38.1	116.7	—	93.1	155.6	107.8
VIII	—	95.4	—	141.7	38.1	116.7	—	85.5	151.0	112.0
IX.	—	95.4	24.5	127.3	38.1	113.9	51.7	87.8	149.5	116.8
X.	—	101.7	77.0	—	38.1	113.9	51.7	73.0	149.7	114.2
XI.	—	102.6	116.4	127.3	43.8	113.9	54.8	49.8	146.8	107.4
XII.	—	102.5	125.5	—	43.8	113.9	55.8	—	148.2	92.4
1957 I	—	102.7	133.9	127.3	43.8	113.9	—	—	149.0	85.8
II.	—	102.7	113.6	55.0	43.8	113.9	—	—	153.4	—
III.	—	102.9	110.9	149.0	43.8	113.9	—	98.1	157.9	—
IV.	—	102.7	79.8	147.6	43.8	113.9	—	101.4	154.5	—
V.	—	102.9	90.5	150.5	43.8	113.9	—	—	161.6	—
VI.	—	103.3	—	147.6	43.8	113.9	—	110.7	148.6	—
VII.	—	103.8	—	—	43.8	113.9	—	106.4	155.0	124.0
VIII.	—	103.8	—	—	43.8	113.9	—	96.3	153.2	125.7
IX.	—	102.0	—	—	43.8	—	—	80.2	—	122.6
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¹Season average price from this year forward : Canada, October-September; Italy, November-October; Rhodesia, March-September; United States II, July-June. — ²Yearly prices refer to prices received by farmers. — ³Average of less than 12 months.

Brazil : Leaf, average export unit value. — Canada : Average price to producers. — Greece : Leaf, average export value to Germany; from 1953, Western Germany. — India : Flue-cured, Virginia, redried, 1st grade, wholesale price, f.o.b. Indian ports, Guntur. — Italy : Kentucky, second grade, third class, fixed price paid to producers by Tobacco Monopoly. — Japan : Bright, yellow, second grade, fixed price paid to producers by Tobacco Monopoly, excluding premiums and the cost of packaging. — Philippines : Isabela, classes 1-5, wholesale price. — Southern and Northwestern Rhodesia : Flue-cured, auction price. — United States : I - Cigarette leaf, unstemmed, average import value from Turkey. II - Flue-cured, auction price.

¹Campagne agricole à partir de cette année : Canada, octobre-septembre; Italie, novembre-octobre; Rhodésie, mars-septembre; Etats-Unis II, juillet-juin. — ²Les prix annuels sont les prix à la production. — ³Moyenne de moins de 12 mois.

Brésil : Tabac en feuilles, moyenne de la valeur unitaire des exportations. — Canada : Prix moyen à la production. — Grèce : Tabac en feuille, valeur unitaire moyenne des exportations à l'Allemagne ; depuis 1953, Allemagne occidentale. — Inde : Tabac de Virginie flue-cured, réséché, de première qualité, prix de gros, f.o.b. ports indiens, à Guntur. — Italie : Tabac de Kentucky de deuxième qualité, troisième classe, prix à la production fixé par le Monopole des tabacs. — Japon : Feuilles claires, jaunes, deuxième qualité, prix fixé à la production par le Monopole des tabacs, non compris les primes et le coût de l'emballage. — Philippines : Isabela, classes 1-5, prix de gros. — Rhodésie du Sud et du Nord-Ouest : Tabac flue-cured, prix aux enchères. — Etats-Unis : I - Feuilles pour cigarettes, sans tiges, valeur unitaire moyenne des importations en provenance de Turquie. II - Tabac flue-cured, prix aux enchères.



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